

# Wrong man in robbery faces job lose

Ex-con status, 'false arrest' worry worker

For 22-year-old Robert E. Moore, a clear-cut case of mistaken identity has raised the ugly prospect of losing his job, a job he was more than lucky in securing in view of his ex-convict status earned through a 42-month stint in Pendleton's State Reformatory.

This pressing worry, in his words, practically numbs the soreness of a bruised swollen jaw sustained Tuesday night in a skirmish with police searching for a young black male supposedly guilty of robbing a teenager.

Frustrated, Moore says he feels worse about being "positively identified" by the boyish alleged victim who later did an about-face and said Moore wasn't the man. However, the suspect's hostile protests cost him a night in the Marion County Jail lockup and a subsequent court appearance, forcing him to lose a day's work.

"I've only been on the job at Stewart - Warner about three weeks and I'm still on probation as far as it's concern," he lamented. "I don't know how they'll react."

He admits being a little physical and loud when police confronted him in the 2100 block of North Central "especially when they mentioned robbery. I was given five years flat for robbery (later reduced to violation of the 1935 Firearms Act) in 1973 and served three years and six months. I don't want to go through that again."

The puzzling chain of events unfolded as Moore, 9419 E.

43rd, left Eddie's Fish Market on Central headed for the next-door poolroom around 7:30 p.m. He describes the poolroom as a regular "after - work hangout."

The short walk by him and a companion, Johnny Green, was cut short by the approach of two white policemen emerging from a parked patrol car. Moore quickly recognized one as a former counselor at Plainfield's Diagnostic Center, a processing point for freshly-sentenced men.

(Though he's not sure, he thinks the officer's name is Frank Poskon.)

Green proceeded to the poolroom, but Moore was told to

remain still. It was then that two teenagers came up and told police "this man is the one" who had forcibly taken money from one of them.

Moore in turn protested, swearing he knew nothing of any robbery and, in fact, had no money. When ordered to shut up by the former counselor-officer, he shot back "You shut up!"

The suspect watched the two boys go into the poolroom and pleaded with police to allow him to follow.

"The light was better in there and I was sure if they got a good look at me, they'd know

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## Bleak Christmas in store for fire victims' parents

By LYNN FORD

The glow of Christmas won't linger over the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Wheeler, Jr. this year.

Many gifts, intended for 18-month-old Anthony, four-year-old Sheri, and three-year-old William Wheeler III, will

remain in their present conditions-unopened. The three tots died in a fire which swept their home at 1310 West 26th last week.

Christmas Eve will arrive, but without the parents experiencing the joy of children anticipating the arrival of Santa

Claus. Instead, sorrow will hang over the home.

For the first Christmas morning in a long time, the Wheelers will awaken under their own power. Early morning will not see the children

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# Carter reaffirms his vow to improve jobs picture

## Geneva talks on Rhodesia are shut down in discord

GENEVA-- British-American efforts to establish black majority rule in Rhodesia were stalled Tuesday as the Geneva talks between black nationalists and Rhodesia's white leaders were adjourned.

Foreign Secretary Anthony announced in London that the conference chairman, British diplomat Ivor Richard, will go to Africa after Christmas for consultations with black leaders.

Crosland said Richard would "develop our positive ideas for a settlement, including a direct role Britain would be ready to play in a transitional period. If it proves necessary or desirable, I would myself go either to Africa or to a resumed conference at Geneva."

Rhodesian Prime Minister Ian Smith said he also planned private discussions with black Rhodesians "away from the

euphoria of the conference." He said the Geneva talks were further away from their objective than when they started Oct. 28.

Smith has repeatedly called for a two-year transition of power to Rhodesia's 6.4 million blacks from the 270,000 whites. He said this agreement was arranged by Secretary of State Henry Kissinger, but Washington has declared there was no firm commitment to a date.

Smith told reporters that unless the conference returns to the original proposals he would not return to Geneva when the talks are scheduled to resume Jan. 17.

Joshua Nkomo, one of four black Rhodesian leaders participating in the conference also threatened to boycott the talks. He said he would not return to Geneva unless Britain accepts its "role" as the ruling colonial

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IT'S NEVER TOO LATE: Cynthia Fitzpatrick, who says she has never received an inoculation in her life, gets a swine flu shot in Rochester. This coming Christmas Day, she will be 111 years old.

## Unemployment priority issue still, he says

President-elect Jimmy Carter, moving to assure workless Americans their troubles remain a prime concern, Friday reaffirmed his campaign commitment to act swiftly on the unemployment crisis.

"I'd like to move as rapidly as I can with public service jobs, job-training programs and also public works projects," Carter said. "What I can't do with job opportunities to fill the total amount of stimulus required would be derived through a tax decrease."

The news was received with skepticism by a delegation of mayors who met with the Georgia Governor Tuesday in Washington. They left complaining he had made no firm commitment on their proposal to stimulate the economy with a \$12.3 billion in job programs and \$7.7 billion tax rebates.

Their chief spokesman, Newark black Mayor Kenneth A. Gibson, said he feels the administration should come up with drastic plans to reverse urban decay.

"We destroyed the cities of Western Europe in World War II and then rebuilt them. It didn't take so long. But we had the Marshall Plan to bring it about. That is the kind of effort we need now for the rebuilding of our own cities. It would not take so long once we decided it could be done."

"If you are going to use the term urban crisis, then you ought to treat it as a crisis. You ought to take whatever actions are required to deal with it."

Gibson, the first black mayor of a major Eastern city, is the first black president of the U.S. Conference of Mayors.

Before making up his mind on what to do about the economy, however, Carter said he will await Christmas shopping reports which will be important in

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MISSISSIPPI PLEDGE RETURNED: Following a lessening of the NAACP's Mississippi crisis, Glover B. Current, Administrator (left), returned to the AFL-CIO a guarantee for \$800,000 that the labor organization had extended to cover the outstanding portion of a \$1.6 million bond

that was required in the Port Gibson Boycott case. Accepting the return of the guarantee is Lane Kirkland, AFL-CIO secretary-treasurer, as the organization's director of civil rights, William E. Pollard, looks on. The guarantee was returned on November 3.

## Study urges nat'l policy to keep children from poverty, neglect

WASHINGTON--

Nothing less than a national policy on children is urged in a study made public Tuesday by a National Research Council group.

The five year investigation by the Advisory Committee on Child Development found that the future of more than 5 million children under age 6 is "at risk" - or worse - either because of sheer poverty or because of inadequate care by working parents.

"All strata of society are affected," said Urie Bronfenbrenner, a Cornell psychologist. He warned against drawing the false conclusion that mothers shouldn't work or that single-parent families are intrinsically bad.

The committee proposed a guaranteed annual income for poor families, a full employment policy, expanded day-care mothers and expanded health care for children.

It said more than 3 million children live in homes with incomes below the poverty level, and six out of ten of those children are raised by single parents.

The committee's report said, "without support from the outside it seems likely that the problems faced by families and children will increase in severity

and that the rates of child abuse, crime, drug dependency, failure in school and other indicators of our (lack of) attention to the problem of children and families will also grow."

The 133-page report, "Toward a National Policy for Children and Families," was commissioned in 1971 under a \$204,000 contract from the Office of Child Development, an agency of the U.S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Panelists said the report recommends many actions espoused by Jimmy Carter during this year's presidential campaign, although the President-elect's advisors did not help produce the report.

Specifically, the panel recommended that "no child be deprived of access to a family living standard lower than half the median family income level (after tax) for a substantial period of his or her childhood and should not fall below the government-defined poverty level of family income even for shorter periods."

For a non-farm family four in 1974, the median income was \$14,327 and the poverty level was \$5,038.

(The median income is the level at which half the families

earn more than that amount and half earn less).

The panel said that recommendation, if adopted, would mean more money for 40 percent of U.S. families at the lowest income levels.

The report suggested that an income redistribution system such as negative income tax to replace welfare payments, be adopted. It also favored public

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## Panthers sue U.S. for \$100-million

WASHINGTON--

The Black Panther Party, thought by most to be practically extinct, has filed a \$100-million class action suit against a number of present and former high federal officials, charging them with actions since 1967 to destroy the party and its members. The suit was filed in U.S. District Court here.

The party, which came to prominence during the 1960s, faded during the early '70s, allegedly because of FBI and police infiltration. They charged during that time that authorities were "out to destroy" the organization, less militant during its later years, but at one time considered a "threat to national security."

Black Panther Chairperson Elaine Brown said upon filing the suit, "Through this lawsuit we intend to bring an end to a long, national nightmare, exposing that the most extreme and violent actions were employed by high government officials against citizens of this nation."

"We hope the Carter administration will live up to its campaign promises to provide sunshine" in the government

and disclose what has been happening since 1967" she said. The suit was filed in behalf of the party and families of party members alleged to have been killed because of government action.

Among those officials named

as defendants in the suit were FBI Director Clarence M. Kelley, and his predecessor, J. Edgar Hoover, CIA Director George Bush and two former directors, Attorney General Edward H. Levi, former Attorney

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NEXT HEW HEAD?: Representative Barbara Jordan (D-Texas) leaves Washington D.C.'s Blair House after conferring with President-elect Jimmy Carter last week. Miss Jordan is reportedly a front runner for the post of director of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

## KKK creating fear at base

CAMP PENDLETON, Calif.-- Black Marines accused of assaulting a number of their white counterparts during a barracks fight are mounting a defense argument that they felt threatened by the Ku Klux Klan.

A military prosecutor, in the meantime said that charges against some of the 14 accused blacks may be increased from assault to attempted murder and a civil rights leader called for a congressional investigation of racial tension on this 27,000 person base between Los Angeles and San Diego, aggravated by discovery of

Klan cells. In Los Angeles, Klan Grand Wizard David Duke predicted "more violence (on base) unless white soldiers unite, unless they made the military leadership understand that the whites are not going to be pushed around anymore by minorities."

Duke was returning home to Metairie, La., after an appearance at Pendleton, where Marine officers refused to speak to him and he was hit on the head with a sign by an anti-Klan demonstrator.

The military counsel for one of the accused blacks told a preliminary hearing, the defense intends to show there is KKK activity at Camp Pendleton, "responsible for the attack by blacks on whites. The

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## Man convicted of 1975 liquor store holdup

A 31-year-old man was convicted Tuesday of the 1975 armed robbery of a Northeast-side liquor store.

Dwight Resnover, 1500 block of North West Street, was recommended by a Criminal Court 1 jury to serve a 30-year prison term for the robbery of Delaware Package Liquors, 23 East 38th.

Judge John Tranberg ordered a presentence investigation, scheduling sentencing for January 6.

## Island's Prime Minister axes communism

KINGSTON, JAMAICA--

Re-elected Prime Minister Michael Manley ended the most violent election campaign in Jamaican history Tuesday with a denial that the Caribbean island would ever go Communist.

A halt was ordered to further campaigning for Wednesday's parliamentary elections because of increasing violence.

Vying for 60 seats are Manley's People's National Party, which advocates democratic socialism and has built links with Cuba, and the Jamaica labor party, led by Edward Seaga. The labor party is strongly opposed to communism and favors increased foreign investments.

Manley's party had 35 seats in the outgoing House of Representatives, the Jamaica

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## UN admits Angola as U.S. abstains

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y.--

Angola was recently admitted as the 146th member of the United Nations.

Its entry, recommended last month by the Security Council, was endorsed by the General Assembly, 116 to 0. No country voiced opposition. However, the United States abstained, as it did in the council, citing the continued presence of Cuban troops in Angola.

China did not participate in the Assembly vote. It maintained that Soviet Union was interfering in Angola, a reference to Moscow support of the Popular Movement for the Liberation of Angola (MPLA), which defeated two Western backed rival forces.

Angolan Foreign Minister Jose Eduardo dos Santos rapped the U.S. and China for their actions. In June the U.S. vetoed Angola's application in the Council. Last month it announced that it would abstain instead of blocking Angola.

The Angolan minister said that the June veto had been an "insult" to the international community. What morality, he asked, permitted the United States, which he said had "massacred" the people of Vietnam, to question Angola's right to have sought outside help.

Referring to China, the

foreign minister said it was "incomprehensible" that China had supported the rival Angolan faction. There was an unnatural alliance between China, imperialism and South Africa, he said, adding that mercenaries recruited by South

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## Washington's Lori Marks outstanding speech student



LORI MARKS

By SYLVIA JOHNSON

Lori Marks is a very bright 17 year old. She is in her junior year at Washington High School and has won seven awards

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doing speech interpretations. Speech is one of Lori's favorite subjects, and she does both dramatic and humorous interpretations. She won a dramatic interpretation award for doing "The autobiography of Miss Jane Pittman". She also holds a humorous interpretation award for "Plaza Suite", a Broadway comedy. Miss Marks became interested in speech through her English class, which is another favorite.

In March, Lori will participate in the sectional, regional, and state speech finals. She hopes to go on to the nationals, to be held in Seattle, Washington, in April.

She plans to attend college where she will major in business, and speech will be one of her minors.

Among her other interests is sports. She tries to attend all of her high school's football and basketball games. Three weeks ago, Lori won the "Play the Pro's" contest featured in the Indianapolis News.

Lori attends Second Christian Church and presently holds the office of secretary for the Christian Youth Fellowship. She is also treasurer for her speech team.

This young lady should certainly go far in life in view of her many accomplishments and achievements. Lori is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Morrow of Indianapolis.

Nurses who provide maternal and infant care are being taught to recognize high-risk situations through special courses sponsored by The National Foundation - March of Dimes. Thousands of nurses across the country have started the introductory series, "The First Six Hours of Life."



RIGHTS END: The caskets bearing the bodies of Sheri and William Wheeler leave Summers Northeast Chapel following last Friday's funeral services. The caskets are followed by that of Young Anthony Wheeler, III. Burial

followed in New Crown Cemetery. The children died December 7 when fire swept their residence at 1310 West 26th Street. [Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

## BEC slates meeting for Monday

The Black Educational Coalition's annual meeting has been postponed from Wednesday to 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Lamplighter Room of Pearl's Lounge.

Outside of conducting the election of 1977 officers, BEC will review the Indianapolis School Board's progress toward goals the coalition stated in its platform.

## Masonic news

BY HENRY HEDGEPAATH



FRED NEELEY

Fred Neeley, Illustrious Recorder of Persian Temple No. 46, is one of those persons so necessary for any organization to survive. He's a dedicated worker and a man who gets the job done.

Neeley is past master of Sumner A. Furniss Lodge No. 61. He has been employed at Detroit Diesel, Allison Division of General Motors, as an electronic technician 11 years.

A 1943 graduate of DuSable High School in Chicago, Brother Neeley attended both Purdue and Butler Universities. He is a member of Alpha Kappa Psi Fraternity, and the Crescent Club.

He lists as the main elements in his life: helping others, and being accepted by others.

He and his wife, Isabel, a U.S. Postal Service employee, are the parents of two, a son, William Neeley, and a daughter Patricia Neeley.

Members of the Order of Eastern Star, P.H.A. of Indiana Jurisdiction, District No. 2, will celebrate their Christmas service with Messiah Baptist Church, 2701 N. California, Sunday at 11 a.m. Rev. Albert Wadesworth is pastor.

All members of the Order are asked to be at the church by 10:30 a.m. Miranda King, District Deputy Grand Matron, will be hostess. Inez Ingram is Grand Worthy Matron, and Marie Benjamin is Grand Public Relations Chairperson.

## CRIME SCENE

# Stick-ups cost residents \$1,200

Four armed robberies cost Indy residents approximately \$1,200 over last weekend.

Police said three persons, two white men and a woman, were robbed of \$200 and kidnapped by a black man and woman last Saturday, shortly after 8 p.m. The suspects are still at large, police said.

The victims, 17-year-old Bryant Byszantz, 5500 block of West 34th, 18 year old Chrstene Hirdnley, 5500 block of West 34th, and Michael Schweitzer, 18, 3600 block of Glen Arm Road, told police they were robbed and kidnapped from the parking lot of Waffle House, 30th and Georgetown and driven to the 2900 block of Northwestern, where they were allegedly forced from the vehicle, a red 1963 Rambler hard top.

Police said the three kidnap victims described the suspects as 23-29 years old. The male kidnaper, the victims say, had a stainless steel automatic pistol. What detail.

Other robberies (time listed is time reported) December 11 8:50 p.m., 2800 Clifton, \$300. 9:45 p.m., 2515 North-western, \$100. 12:23 p.m., 3744 Lafayette Road, \$600, total \$1,200.

Burglaries December 11 time unknown, 3035 N. Stuart, television, component set.

December 12 2:40 p.m., 3714 N. Caroline, television, shotgun, adding machine.

11:20 a.m., 4707 North Primrose, television.

10:10 a.m., 1418 West Herschell, television, radio, scanner adding machine, cassette tape recorder.

December 11 7:30 p.m., 3757 North Watson Road, record player, radio.

6:45 p.m., 3446 Fall Creek Parkway, television, stereo, calculator.

6 p.m., 1342 North West, stereo.

Larcenies December 11 8:30 p.m., 1192 North Arlington, \$20.

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Looking on are Senior Warden Oscar C. Smith, Junior Warden Marvin A. Hunt and Senior Deacon Richard A. Bell. [Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

## I.U. offers course for dental aides

The Indiana University School of Dentistry is offering a course in expanded duties for dental hygienists and dental assistants, beginning Jan. 22.

Laboratory instruction will be given in dental terminology, dental anatomy, rubber dam technique, silver restorative technique, anterior restorative technique, temporary treatment restorations, and necessary matrices techniques.

The class will be scheduled over six weekends in a four-month period. Only licensed dental hygienists, certified dental assistants, and currently employed dental assistants with at least one year of experience are eligible.

Applications can be obtained from Dr. Robert H. Derry, director of Continuing Education, I.U. School of Dentistry, 1121 W. Michigan Street.

## Home improvements for elderly available through housing program

Many elderly persons who have been "ripped off" by unscrupulous contractors now will be able to get improvements done at fair prices, according to the Central Indiana council on Aging, Inc.

Home repair by experienced workmen is now available for Marion County homes owned and occupied by persons 60 years of age and over, according to Harold Hotchkiss, outreach worker for Senior Citizens' Home Repair.

Charges are arranged on a sliding scale, depending on income. Further information may be obtained by calling 923-1314.

The program, sponsored by Community Inter-faith Housing and funded by the Central Indiana council on Aging, is part of the continuing effort to keep senior citizens independent and in their homes as long as possible.

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## Who's who in the community

by HENRY HEDGEPAATH



JON LIGHTNER AS SANTA

Strip away the instant white beard, flashy red suit and sing-song "ho, ho, ho," and you'll find Santa holding court daily in L. S. Ayres Downtown Department Store is really 27-year-old Jon Lightner.

Monday through Friday, beginning at nine and ending at 4, Lightner is bombarded with

requests from a endless stream of youngsters, anxious to station themselves on his knee.

This is Lightner's third year in the St. Nick role and he finds nothing more fulfilling-and-at times, humorous, touching and interesting. For him, it's more fun than work since his favorite hobby is entertaining kids.

In everyday life, the once-a-year celebrity is a Seymour, Ind., resident who values nothing more than his First United Methodist Church membership.

He lists as his three main elements in life good health, ability to perform and a good family. Lightner naturally feels that his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Norma S. Lightner, a n d 24-year-old sister, Luanne Lightner, can't be topped as kinpeople.

Jon Lightner is a bachelor, a very popular one this time of the year, who we bet will be very generous during his nocturnal visits December 24.

### MIRIAM WILSON

Services were conducted December 10 at Nazarene Missionary Baptist Church for Mrs. Miriam Wilson, a 49-year-old member.

Mrs. Wilson, 2429 Indianapolis, died December 5 at Methodist Hospital. She was a former employee of Hub States Chemical Corp.

Survivors include two sons, Richard and Edward Hunter, and her stepfather, the Rev. L. S. Gaston.



EMERGENCY 1: Wishard Memorial Hospital employees are being praised for their panicle expediently in evacuating some 400 patients when fire struck the Myres Building section of the Westside facility last Wednesday. Some 1,000 staffers and student nurses, 500 of them just arriving for work, donned surgical masks as greasy smoke filled the building and rushed the ill out in wheel chairs, on stretchers, and movable beds.

Those capable were allowed to walk. There were no reported injuries and patients housed temporarily in other hospitals were returned to Wishard by nightfall. Action in the photo left was an oft-repeated scene at the Locke Street entrance. At right, two patients are bundled in blankets, protection against the 30-degrees afternoon weather. [Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

## 19 years later, integration of Little Rock school is recalled

LITTLE ROCK, Ark.--

Nineteen years ago, Ernest G. Green walked with other black high school students guarded by federal troops, walked up the steps of the formerly segregated Central High School here, through a mob of angry whites who wanted to keep the school lily-white.

The incident was pivotal to subsequent changes in race relations in the United States.

"The black youngsters and their families opened the eyes of many other blacks in this country to the fact that discrimination would have to be fought," Green said in a recent interview in New York where he now makes his home, "and that white resistance to change could be fought and beaten."

Then, with a smile, Green, who is now 35 years old, noted that historic walk-from three parked cars to the inside of the school-had been even more basic.

"I was mainly concerned with getting into and out of the school alive," he said.

Since Little Rock '57, Green has taken his considerable energies and active interest in continuing social changes into the field of job training and placement.

As director since 1967 of the Recruitment and Training Program, a federally aided private organization in New York City, Green was the recipient on Dec. 1 of the Rockefeller Award for Public Service. He was honored for having mobilized government and labor support for apprenticeship programs for minorities in the building trades.

He directs a program with 52 offices across the country, a budget exceeding \$7-million and more than 21,000 placements in unionized employment. He has been the most widely publicized of the "Little Rock Nine."

Welded together by circumstances two decades ago, they have drifted into divergent ways of life. Daisy Bates, former leader of the Little Rock branch of the NAACP, has been one of the few people to keep tabs on the group.

In an interview she gave their whereabouts as follows:

\*Minnie Jean Brown is

married, has three children and lives in Canada. She was expelled from Central High School after she poured a bowl of soup on a white boy who had done the same thing to her.

\*Thelma Mothershead is an educational counselor in East St. Louis, Ill.

\*Carolotta Walls is married and living in Denver.

\*Terrence Roberts is a school teacher in Los Angeles.

\*Jefferson Thomas runs a record shop in Los Angeles.

\*Melba Pattillo is a writer in San Francisco.

\*Gloria Ray is married and lives in Sweden.

\*Elizabeth Eckford is a social worker in Little Rock. She had worked in Los Angeles before returning.

"The Little Rock school case is still a matter of public conversation," Mrs. Bates said, "and we still do things to commemorate the events. We must make certain that a lot of our youngsters see clearly how our modern times have been so greatly influenced by these events."

Green noted that the changes in Little Rock's Central High, where the enrollment currently is about half black and where two black principals have served, is the fact that his cousin Millie Terry, 16, was a recently crowned campus queen for the current school year.

Green noted that the changes had been extensive in the Deep South and that many reflected a modern American irony. He said: "I was at the University of Mississippi recently where a white educator, pointing out the bullet holes made by white mobs attempting to prevent that school's desegregation, was complaining that it was difficult finding black faculty members in all fields."

A graduate of Michigan State where he earned a master's degree in sociology, Green has

said that "racism in America has always been a problem, but the nature of racism has shifted during recent years."

"The problem today is, essentially, one of class," he declared, "where both your poor black and poor white are finding it very hard to improve their economic conditions."

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## INDY SCENE

### Sisters Yule dance set

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### Cardettes award prizes

The Cardette Club members and guests held their annual awards presentation Saturday night, December 11, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Maurice L. Johnson. Gladys Johnson, assisted by Golda Glover, president, presented the awards. The low prize went to Maggie Cowherd who received Hoyle's book on card games. Top trophy winner was Mrs. Olga Jenkins and remaining members received a deck of cards each.

Continuing the evening was a gift exchange and carol singing. Capping perfectly the gathering was dinner and a show at the Beef and Boards Dinner Theater. January's meeting will be with Golda Glover.

### Nurses plan theater trip

Indianapolis Black Nurses Association will benefit from the Thursday night, December 16, performance of perennially popular "You're A Good Man Charlie Brown" at the Civic Theatre, 1200 W. 38th. Persons interested in taking in a darn good show while promoting the nurses' scholarship fund should dial 547-0810 or 547-4442 for reservations. Mrs. Selma Mills acts as chairperson of the Fund Raising Committee.

### Skylarks election results

Skylarks Club members devoted their Saturday, December 11, meeting to election of officers for the upcoming club year. Mary Lindsey captured the presidency during the election in her home at 2319 W. 59th. Other officers are Dorothy Barbee, vice-president; Edith Edwards, secretary; Ludy Stith, financial secretary; Ada Hedrick, treasurer; Eloise Marshall, sergeant-at-arms, and Doris Hill, reporter.

### Deltas party is Saturday

Stouffer's Inn's Hunt Room will be filled with happy persons Saturday night attending Delta Sigma Theta, Chi Chapter's Christmas party beginning at 8 p.m. There will be hors d'oeuvres and a cash bar. Arrangements are being handled by Anita L. Hawkins, hospitality chairman.



BRIGHTENING the past holiday for senior citizens at Morning Star Baptist Church were sorors of Kappa Chapter, Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority. The considerate and service-minded young ladies prepared a complete Thanksgiving dinner for the grateful mem-

bers. Included in the project were (left to right, standing) Sorors Debra Galladay, Meridith Kirtley, Robin Scott, Vicki Webster, Judy Lewis and Sheila Woodson. Seated are the smiling beneficiaries.

## Undergraduates aid two groups

Alpha Kappa Alpha Sorority's undergraduate chapter, Tau, performed a vastly appreciated Thanksgiving project service for senior citizens of Morning Star Baptist Church last month.

A delectable dinner was prepared and served thankful members by sorors. The menu consisted of the traditional turkey along with dressing, ham, green beans, mashed potatoes rolls with butter, cranberry sauce, sweet potato pie, chocolate cake, coffee and punch.

An added feature was presenting a program including dramatization of the Thanksgiving story, singing and a prayer which allowed both senior citizens and sorors to express their thoughts and feelings on this day of gratitude.

As a Christmas service pro-

ject, AKAs presented a check for \$50 to the Wheeler Family whose home was gutted by fire days ago. Three children died in the fire.

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the queen contestants are from (from left) Mable McNear, Eleanor Gray, Jerri Gant, Sandra Lane, and Anna Mae Taylor. Not pictured are Cynthia Eubanks, Hanna Hampton, Rosetta Jordan, and Deborah Reeves. For additional information contact Iola Sanders at 253-9526. (Recorder photo by Richard A. Gaither)

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### Southside Happenings

BY OGLA ROBINSON

Outraged neighbors of the Laurelwood and Raymond Villa housing projects complain vandalism is decreasing nearby

private property value. Over one-half of the empty units in these complexes have been wrecked by youngsters who find nothing better to do. It would be foolish to blame management since it can only do so much to discourage such

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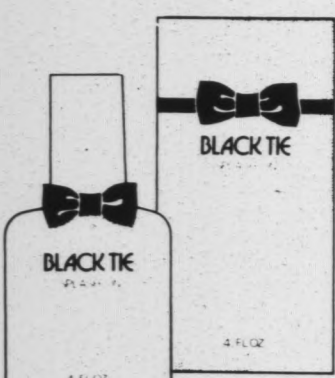
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MEET SCHOOL 55's "Girls of Today" a relatively new junior high club, formed under the sponsorship of Mrs. Doris Jones. Right now, the teacher is busy in preparation for a pre-Christmas party for the girls who are (left to right) the Misses Patricia Simington, Debra Daniels, Lynn Horney, Sherry

Williams, Rosnell Davis, Christina Simington, Barbara Smith and Doris Smith. Organized in September, "Girls of Today" meet monthly in pursuit of their goal of educational, cultural and social growth. [Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

## City Federation

By CLARA PHILLIPS

The City Federation's meeting the past Tuesday was sparked by a novel program on "Generation Gap" given by Les Grandmeres. Especially interesting was an address by Grandmeres president, Mrs. Addie Porter. Mrs. Emma Lipscomb remains City Federation President.

Sunday afternoon saw another seasonally inspired event unfold for the Federation, the annual Woman's Day tea under the chairmanship of Mrs. Mary Carter, former president. The well coordinated program consisted of singing, recitations and timely remarks. For the special occasion, the ladies wore colorful floor-length gowns and the dining room was draped in holiday decor. Next hostess club will be Golden Leaf led by Mrs. Sadie Hardiman, president.

Some 35 members and guests mingled at the Progressive Needlecraft Club's Christmas party hosted by Mrs. Vernora Ferguson. Each lady was presented a pretty folding umbrella-matching scarf set by Mrs. Geneva Watts, president. After dinner, a round of games was played. Special guest was Mrs. Lipscomb.

Thursday, December 16, was the date designated for Thursday Afternoon Coterie's Yuletide party in the Household of Ruth Center at 2406 N. Capitol.

chaired by Soror Ilma Clark, sponsored this project.

Everyone seemed in the Christmas spirit as they joyously sang carols and played games. The fellowship brought tears to both inmates and sorors. After the program refreshments were served.

At the close of a beautiful evening each inmate was given a gift wrapped bar of soap. Each woman seemed thankful for her gift. One woman commented, "This is really a nice gift, especially after using the state's soap. Man, that soap makes you itch!"

The Deltas are the first organization to give a gift to each woman at the prison.

It's time to really concentrate on Christmas now. If you haven't already done so, finish your gift list today -- and chart your shopping expeditions to save traveling time and fuel.

## Local students score in cosmetology contest

Two Indianapolis Skills Center Cosmetology Department members returned home with honors earned during the recent elaborate mammoth "Big Show" near Chicago, the nation's largest trade seminar for professionals who service the black woman.

Students Valerie Calvert, stylist, and Paula Sharp, model, took a proud second during competition involving hundreds

of their contemporaries from seven states.

The midwest "Big Show" attracted more than 7,000 hairdressers to Oakbrook, an affluent white suburb of the Windy City to catch up on the latest techniques in their trade November 28-30.

"Hair will be short for the fall - winter scene," stated Bernice Calvin, publisher of Beauty Trade, the national authoritative magazine for black beauty care that is subscribed to by 22,000 nationwide professionals who service the industry.

"This is the trend to balance the layered look and longer length fashions. But there are lots of mid-length hairstyles available and all hairstylists and cosmetologists are far better trained (thanks to the "Big Show") and the caravans sponsored by Beauty Trade Magazine to give the black woman these new looks."

The Big Show is sponsored twice a year by Beauty Trade Magazine, and thereby unfurls a wealth of cosmetic services available for today's fastidious black woman. Sculptured nails, added on eyelashes, new hair-coloring that's subtle and flattering, hairweaving, pedicuring and dramatic make are many of the new services any first class salon should offer.

The Indianapolis Skills Center Cosmetology Department held bake sales and a fashion show to finance their trip.

destruction. If anybody, parents should be made accountable.

The Brown Family, as talented as ever, will be busy again this year giving holiday performances at various nursing homes. Under the chairmanship of Mrs. Betty Brown, the singing, dancing and acting entourage gives these free programs each year.

Bear in mind the numerous Christmas parties and food baskets given by various churches for the less fortunate. Your contribution would be a big boost. Don't forget either Mrs. Valeria Pettrie's "Operation Card Lift," a project aimed at remembering our senior citizens, often overlooked on mailing lists, with Christmas greeting cards. Contact Mrs. Pettrie after 5:30 p.m. by dialing 784-6863.

## Ripple grads now KSU secretaries

SPECIAL TO THE RECORDER

Two graduates of Indianapolis Broad Ripple High School, Phyllis Pierce and Marsha Young are working as secretaries in the same office at Kentucky State University while studying for academic degrees.

They are work/study students in the office of the English department chairman.

Miss Pierce, a four year honor roll student at Broad Ripple, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin L. Pierce, 3423 North Hillside Avenue. She earned two scholarships as the result of her achievements in high school.

Miss Pierce received two \$1,000 scholarships -- one from the KSU alumni chapter in Indianapolis last year and another from the Citizens for Progress Committee this year.

She is a KSU sophomore majoring in accounting with a minor in business education.

Miss Pierce is a member of Phi Beta Lambda, a business club.

Miss Young, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd L. Young, 608 West Bernard Street, is a junior majoring in elementary education.

She was active in the Pom-Pom and Y-Teens organizations at Broad Ripple. At KSU, Miss Young is a member of the Student National Education Association and the Omega-Tee Club--the "little sisters" of the Omega Psi Phi social fraternity.

Miss Young plans to become an elementary school teacher and later a special education teacher with handicapped children.

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## DELTA DOINGS--

## Deltas bring cheer to prison inmates

BY SOROR ANITA L. HAWKINS

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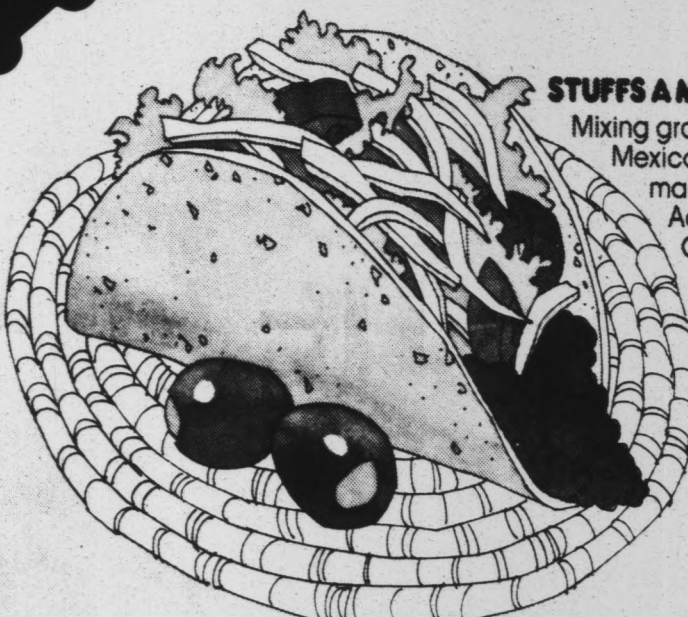
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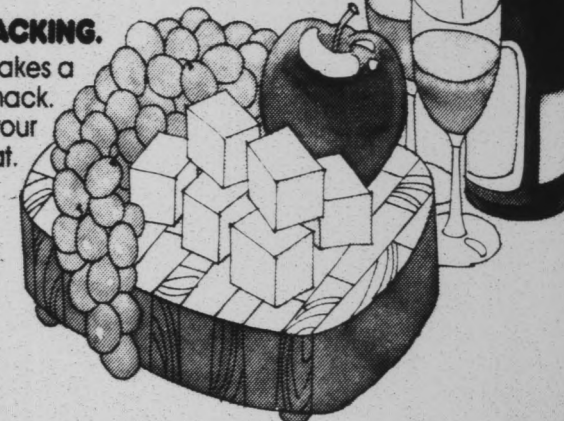


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# Yuletide still favorite merriment season of all

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The beautiful suburban home of Mrs. Mary Pendegraph was the scene of the annual table cloths, colored candles and white Christmas bells decked the Masonic Hall's G.C.



IT'LL BE disco dress and record spinning at Allison's employees organization's lively Christmas party Friday, December 17, 10 p.m., in the renowned Walker Casino. The group above (left to right) Otis Barnett, Dorothy

Craig, Cyril Carter and Donna Barnett, was among members meeting December 8 in foster Motor Lodge to plan the invitational bash. Stephen Warren is party chairman. [Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

Christmas party for the Coterie Pongo Bridge Club.

The house was lavishly decorated with holiday ornaments both inside and outside. Members included in their festivities a birthday celebration for Mrs. Edna Watkins, recipient of numerous birthday cards containing cash and gifts.

The menu consisted of turkey casserole, cranberries, relishes, tossed salad, cake, ice cream and assorted mixed drinks. Mrs. Watkins played Santa Claus distributing all of the lovely exchange gifts. Relatives and friends were remembered with special "Christmas cheer" sent them.

Also on the agenda was bridge with Velma Shelton, Beatrice Bowles, Louiser Brannon, Edwin Dulin and Mrs. Watkins winning prizes. January's meeting will be with Mrs. Shelton.

Bright holiday colors accented by red and white poinsettia



RECORDER columnist Henry Hedgeparth (left) was among delighted guest enjoying the holiday hospitality at the Isisettes of Persian Court No. 24 talent and fashion show last week. Here, he is greeted by Isisettes Director Mrs. Arnell White. [Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

Some 15 countries were represented at this year's Festival Christmas Saturday night in New Bethel Baptist Church's Fellowship Hall given by the International Club of Indianapolis.

Attended primarily by foreign students studying here, former students and guests, its unique feature was the array of tasty desserts from other

lands. It was also intriguing listening to Rev. T. Cyprian Kia of Nigeria, Mrs. Annie Buehren of German, Samuel D. Sangar of Pakistan and Halek Kisepewitz of Belgium describe Christmas celebrations in their respective countries.

Hostesses for the colorful event, made more colorful by persons in native dress, were Mrs. Margaret Page, Mrs. Estella Spann, Mrs. Henretta Brown, Mrs. Bessie Matthews, Miss Willa Thomas, chairman of the sponsoring organization, International Welcoming Committee of Indianapolis, Mrs. Beatrice Holifield, Linda Teague and Cheryl and Janet King.

Enjoyed were an assortment of games and caroling led by Mrs. James Ella Boyd and Mrs. Verteria Downey. Seasonal decorating was done by Mrs. Margie Arnett, festival chairman, and Mrs. Vionnett Burton, vice chairman.

Other committee members were Mrs. Lillie Thomas, Mrs. Omer Middleton, Mrs. Joy Kia, Miss Pam Parson, Mrs. Oren Russ and Robert Burton.

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How about putting some sweaters and long warm underwear on your gift list this year? They'll help your loved ones save energy by keeping them warm enough to cool down their homes and offices.

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MEMBERS of the National Sorority of Phi Delta Kappa, Tau Chapter, enjoyed a special Christmas party Saturday, December 11. Sorors Carleean Coleman and Lettie Harris hosted this joyous event at the elegant Hilton Hotel. Holiday games, Christmas carols and a gift exchange provided much enjoyment for those present. A lovely luncheon of roast turkey and dressing highlighted festivities. Sorors enjoying themselves included Thelma Bacon, Elizabeth Brown, Frances Burch, Allean Butts

Denise Byrdson, Harriett Cheetam, Carleean Coleman, Sandra Dags, Sylvia Diggs, Geraldine Gray, Mary Gray, Frances Groves, Curtiestine Hall, Lettie Harris, Myrtle Hibbitt, Delores Higgins, Elnora Hoston, Rose Jewell, Rosena Johnson, Marian Kurtz, Gloria Long, Carrie McKinney, Maxine Partee, Eloise Solomon, Lula Spann, Anna Stanfield, Ellen Strong, Erma Taylor, Ora Lee Thomas, Clarissa Wadsworth and Catherine Wallace. [Recorder photo by Richard Gaither]



DESCRIPTIONS of Yuletide celebrations overseas, desserts from various foreign countries and a variety of native dress is what made International Students Club Festival Christmas party different. Those attending Saturday night at New Bethel

Baptist Church's Fellowship Hall included (left to right) Annie Buehren of Germany, Angela Officers, Halek Kisepeurkz of Belgium, Rev. John R. Stevenson, Margaret Page, Stella Kelly and Veatrice Holifield. [Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

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ALL THE seriousness of a professional is displayed by little Rochelle Pettrie as she goes through her routine during Junior Isiserettes of Persian Court No. 24's style and talent show. [Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]



THE YOUTHFUL ladies above showed adults how it's done in the modeling and entertainment world during their individual presentations at The Junior Isiserettes of Persian court No. 24 style and talent show last week. They are (left to right) front row, the little Misses Carla Satterfield, Rochelle Pettre and Carletta Satterfield; second row, Sabrina Stennette, Urana Young, Charledda Jones, Rhonda Flowers and Desiree Baxter, and third row, Loralea Beach, Chemane Brown, Kin Stennette and Trina Terrell. [Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

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## Chatting with the F.A.C.

BESSIE JAMES

It is nearing the time of year when the Federation of Associated Clubs is being wished all of the joys, splendors and sounds of the coming Christmas!

Christmas events are approaching.

The Progressive Civic Community Club, with Chester Little as president, held their annual Christmas party Friday, Dec. 10, in the Ryan Room of the FAC Home. A beautiful Xmas table was heavily laden with all varieties of food, salads, and desserts quite satisfying to the appetite. Helen and Faira Puritt furnished a number of enjoyable games and several interesting prizes were won including several games of Bingo. Each club member provided gifts for their guest and the beautifully decorated Christmas tree was heavily laden with these. This was a very pretty party - Old Friends, old times were enjoyed by all.

ed by all.

The Central Circle Club of the YWCA will hold their annual Christmas Party in gift exchange, and pitch-in dinner Sunday, Dec. 19, at 2:30 p.m. in the Ryan Room. Mrs. Charlotte Smith is president. Secret pal gift exchanges will be delivered by Santa Claus. Interesting games by Mrs. James Ella Boyd are planned. A very merry good time is expected by these young ladies who have been very busy with all sorts of needle work.

The membership committee made a fine report on Monday, Dec. 6. They were to be made at the regular meeting Monday, Dec. 13 and then again on Monday, January 10 with the final report being made by Monday, Jan. 31. Responses have been fine and most of all our old faithful clubs and the old standby general members are in the fold with a very large

number of new members. There are still many others to renew. We shall expect you to do so soon.

Interest is running high in the preparation for the annual FAC Christmas dinner and party for the organization. Games, Xmas caroling, exchange of gifts, prizes and what have you. Remember this party is for all FAC members and friends and it is to be Monday, December 20, beginning at 7:00 p.m. Members, bring your guests, gifts exchange and food enough for four people. Responses have been wonderful.

Happy Birthday greetings to the following members who have attended a regular FAC meeting on the second Monday of any month:

Dec. 18, Mrs. Jessie Curry, 1631 Cornell Ave.; Vernest Weathers, 2318 N. Capitol Ave.; Laura Kimbro, 2214 N. Capitol Ave.

Dec. 19th, Mrs. Frances Howard, 4907 N. Kenwood Ave.; Alton Hester, 2652 Burton; Mrs. Ruth Austin, 610 N. East St.; Thomas Hale, 826 West 43rd St.

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## Eastside news

BY CLEMA V. ROGERS



All Indianapolis - Marion County libraries will be closed December 24-26. Branches close at 5 p.m. December 31 and will remain so New Years Day. Central Library opens at 1 p.m. for four hours January 2 and at 1:30 p.m., the 1929 film "The Virginian" starring Gary Cooper, Mary Brian and Walter Huston will be shown in Crosey Auditorium. A feature for 7th graders, "The Dentist," and a Frazier-Alb about in "Greatest Fights of the Century" will be run 7:30 p.m. at the Emerson Branch, 3642 North Emerson.

INSPIRATIONAL THOUGHT  
I asked God for strength that I might achieve. I was made weak that I might learn humbly to obey.

I asked for health that I

might do greater things. I was given infirmity that I might do better things.

I asked for riches that I might be happy. I was given poverty that I might be wise.

I asked for power that I might have the praise of men. I was given weakness that I might feel the need of God.

I asked for all things that I might enjoy life. I was given life that I might enjoy all things.

I got nothing that I asked for. But everything I hoped for. Almost despite myself. My unspoken prayers were answered. I am among men most richly blessed.

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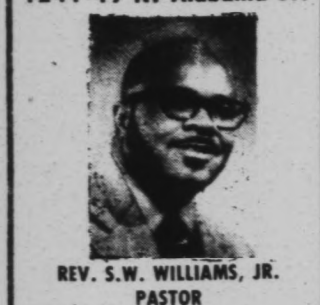
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NAPOLIS RECORDER. DON'T  
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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 18.

## A big day at Lady Esther promised Sunday



REV. GEORGE W. BAILEY  
Lady Esther Baptist Church, 2431 Columbia Ave., will celebrate their seventh anniversary Sunday, December 19.  
Rev. George Washington Bailey from Altoona, Pa., will be the speaker. Rev. Bailey was called from this city four years ago and has continued in study in Pa., holding BA, BTh and MA degrees.  
Pastor Stevenson is asking all to come and enjoy this day at both the 11 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. services.  
Lady Esther Baptist Church is paying off the balance of land and other holdings in the amount of thirty-five thousand dollars. Your help is requested.  
Rev. John R. Stevenson is the pastor of Lady Esther and moderator for the Central District Association.

## GO TO CHURCH SUNDAY

**LOVE SERVICE**  
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All Singers and Groups  
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DATE.  
CHURCH NEWS -- CARD OF THANKS  
IN MEMORIALS  
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**6 P.M. MON., DEC. 20, 1976**  
NOTE: NO NEWS, PICTURES, ADS WILL BE  
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## Karan Young to speak for Mt. Moriah Nurses

Miss Karen Young, a member of Mt. Moriah Baptist Church, 2349 Keystone Way will be the speaker for their Nurse's Yuletide Banquet on Monday night, December 20 at 7:00 p.m.

Miss Young has served as a junior usher, a member of the youth choir and is a former president of the Junior Nurses.

Currently attending Bishop College, Dallas, Texas, is majoring in Political Science and Business Education and plans to take a law course. She is the daughter of Mrs. Clara Young. The banquet is being held in the church.

Rev. E.T. Johnson is the pastor.

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## A-In Memoriam



**ELIZABETH HALL GOLDER**  
GOLDER-In loving memory of  
MRS. ELIZABETH HALL  
GOLDER  
who died December 17, 1974.  
To have know you-  
To have loved you-  
And we had to part-  
Is the greatest sorrow that  
fills one's heart.  
But, knowing a God that gave  
us strength to face our grief  
And the courage to stand the  
blow,  
We submit to His will.  
We loved her dearly  
But God loved her best.  
Sadly missed by,  
Bishop Morris E. Golder  
F. Joanne Golder, Daughter  
Melvin E. Singleton, Grand-  
son

**THE MALE CHORUS  
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For The Senior Choir Of  
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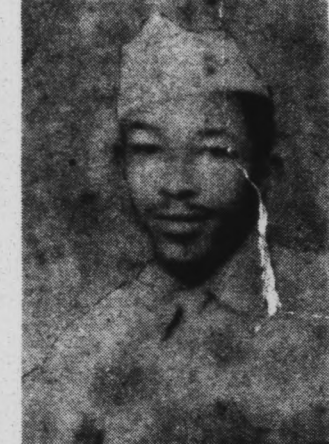
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CHURCH  
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Rev. Forrie Radford,  
Pastor  
And At 7:30 P.M.  
The Same Group At  
BREEDING  
TABERNACLE  
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Pastor  
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CARTER MEMORIAL  
BAPTIST CHURCH**  
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Presenting A  
Pageant  
"THE SECRET OF  
CHRISTMAS"  
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Directed By  
Mrs. Jennie Lash  
Mr. Estee Adams, Sr.  
At 7:30 P.M.  
MUSICAL PROGRAM  
Featuring  
THE COMBINED  
CHOIRS  
Of Carter Memorial  
Under The Direction  
Of  
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Miss Nelzene Boards  
Mrs. Laura Boards  
You Are Invited  
Rev. Estee Adams,  
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Mike Watkins, Minister

## A-In Memoriam



**DOUGLAS MOORE**  
MOORE-In loving memory of  
DOUGLAS MOORE  
who passed December 17, 1974.  
A happy home we once enjoyed  
How sweet the memory still  
But death has left a lone-  
liness  
The would can never fill.  
Sadly missed by:  
The Children

**WOOD** - In loving memory of  
our dear father and grandfa-  
ther  
**HENRY S. WOOD**  
who passed away December 13,  
1972.  
When our family gets toge-  
ther  
There is one we fail to see.  
It fills our hearts with sadness  
Thinking of the way it used to  
be.  
Not a day do we forget you,  
Thoughts of you are always  
here,  
We who love you sadly miss  
you  
As it ends another year.  
Sadly missed by,  
The Family

**J.C. JENKINS**  
And The  
**SPIRITUAL AIRS**  
Will Be In Their  
MONTHLY SONG  
SERVICE  
SUNDAY, DECEMBER 19  
3:30 P.M.  
At The  
**GREATER KING  
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FREEWILL BAPTIST  
CHURCH  
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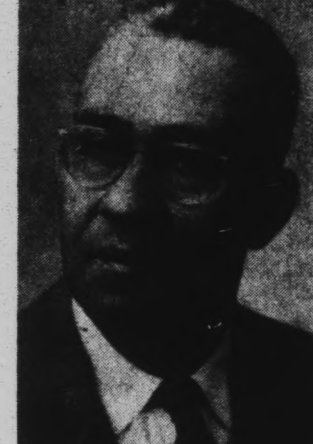


**STOKELY BLANE**  
BLANE-In loving memory of  
our uncle  
STOKELY BLANE  
who passed away December 13,  
1975.  
Some may forget you  
Now that you are gone  
But we will remember  
No matter how long.  
Mr. and Mrs. Philip Elam

**COLLIER-In loving memory of  
my husband  
MR. JOE M. COLLIER  
JOE M. COLLIER**  
who passed December 23, 1961.  
You left us a beautiful me-  
mory  
But a sorrow too great to be  
told  
To us who loved you and lost  
you  
Your memory will nver grow  
old.  
Wife-Beatrice Collier  
Mother, Mrs. Gladys Booth  
\*\*\*  
MARCUS-In loving memory of  
our cousin,  
MRS. CLARA GILL MARCUS  
who passed away December 24,  
1971.  
Five years have passed  
Since that sad day  
God took her home  
It was His will  
Within our hearts,  
She liveth still.  
Cousins:  
Mrs. Gladys Booth and Mrs.  
Beatrice Collier

**LOIS WILSON**  
Forty-seven-year-old Mrs.  
Lois (Bunchie) Wilson, 1450  
North College, died November  
25 at Wishard Memorial Hospi-  
tal. Services were conducted  
November 29 at Summers  
Northeast Funeral Chapel with  
burial in crown Hill Cemetery.  
Mrs. Wilson, a native of  
Clinton, S. C., lived here 16  
years and was a member of  
Bethesda Temple Apostolic  
Church.

## A-In Memoriam



**JOHN BAILEY**  
BAILEY-In loving memory of  
JOHN T. BAILEY  
who passed away December 18,  
1972.  
Nothing could be more beau-  
tiful  
Than the memories we have of  
you  
To us you were someone special  
God must have thought so too.  
All our lives we will miss  
you  
Though the years may comeand  
Though the years may come  
and go  
But in our hearts you will live  
forever,  
Because we loved you so.  
Sadly missed by:  
Wife, son and sister,  
Frances E. Maxey

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Minister of Jones  
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His Congregation Will Be  
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PENICK CHAPEL  
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Sadly missed by:  
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Mother and Father  
Sisters and Brothers  
Grandparents



PATRICK CHAVIS, JR.

CHAVIS-In loving memory of PATRICK E. CHAVIS, JR. who passed away December 18, 1974.  
Nothing can ever take away  
The love a heart holds dear.  
Fond memories linger every day.  
Remembrance keeps him near.  
Patrick, Susan, Geraldine and David.



LeROY COUCH

COUCH-In loving memory of our husband, father, grandfather and brother.

LeROY COUCH who passed away December 20, 1974.  
Some may forget you  
Now that you are gone  
But we will remember  
No matter how long.  
Wife - Delight  
Children-Joan, Richmond, John, Betty and Family



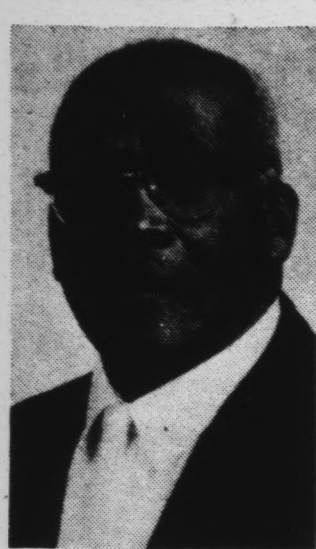
THOMAS WILLIAM LEWIS

LEWIS-In loving memory of THOMAS WILLIAM LEWIS who passed December 18, 1975. Gone but not forgotten.  
Sadly missed by:  
Father and Mother -  
Thomas and Theresa Lewis  
Son and Daughter  
Michael and Natalie Lewis  
Sisters-Rhonda Lewis and Sherron Reeves

FRANK WINSTON JR.

Frank Winston Jr., 61-year-old member of Fall Creek Park-way Church of Christ, was eulogized during funeral rites there December 9 and buried in Crown Hill Cemetery. The Chevrolet Division of General Motor Corporation retiree died December 5 at Methodist Hospital.

A native of Thurber, Texas, Mr. Winston, 1836 W. 36th, took up resi here 40 years ago. He was a machinist at Chevrolet 30 years before retiring in September.  
Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Hazel Winston, and his stepson, Ronald Stone, of Indianapolis.



ELDER GROVER C. MILLS

MILLS-In loving memory of DISTRICT ELDER GROVER MILLS who passed away December 18, 1974.

Your smiling way and pleasant face,  
Are a pleasure to recall.  
You had a kindly word for each  
Some day we hope to meet you  
Some day we know not when  
To clasp your hand in the better land  
Never to part again.  
Precious memories, how they linger  
How they ever flood my soul.  
In the stillness of the midnight  
Precious sacred scenes unfold.  
"Dear,"  
Wife-Mrs. Estelle B. Mills  
Son-District Elder Rufus C. Mills  
Grandchildren, Nieces and Nephews

## JACOBS BROTHERS FUNERAL HOME OBITUARIES

Infant Watford was buried in New Crown Dec. 4.  
Funeral services for Mrs. Katie Vaughn were held Dec. 6 at the Westside Chapel. Rev. Bennie Lee officiated. Burial in Floral Park.

Funeral services for Mr. Homer Eldridge were held Dec. 8 at St. Rita Catholic Church. Burial in New Crown.  
Funeral services for Mr. John W. Hester were held Dec. 11 at the Church of God. Rev. A. Leftridge officiated. Burial in Floral Park.

Funeral services for Mrs. Miriam Wilson were held Dec. 10 at the Nazarene Baptist Church. Rev. Walter Legg officiated. Burial in Floral Park.  
Funeral services for Steven Cary Morris were held at the Westside Chapel. Rev. Stacey Shields officiated. Burial in Crown Hill.

## CLAUDIA SWANIGAN

Willie T. Swanigan, 12-year-old son of Mrs. Claudia Swanigan, died December 11 at Riley Hospital for Children. Rites for the School 41 sixth-grader were held December 15 at Boatright Funeral Home, with burial in New Crown Cemetery.

Willie had lived in Indianapolis only four years being originally from East St. Louis, Ill. He resided at 976 W. 29th.  
Survivors, in addition to the mother, include his father, Roy Swanigan, East St. Louis; his grandmother, Mrs. Inez Fitzpatrick, Indianapolis and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Hardiman, Lorraine, O.

## OSSIE D. WARREN

Ossie D. Warren, 67, a retired Allied Sorap Co. employee, died December 11 at Methodist Hospital. Services were conducted December 15 at North Jersey Church of God.  
Mr. Warren, 3609 Baltimore, retired in 1970 after 30 years at Allied.

Survivors include a son, Otis Warren; six brothers, James, Jesse, John, Gilbert, Donald and Cecil Warren, and three sisters, Mrs. Ruth Fox, Mrs. Bertha King and Mrs. Fred Ward.

## LILA HUMBLE

Services were conducted December 14 at Mount Pilgrim Baptist Church for Mrs. Lila Humble, an 82-year-old member. Mrs. Humble died December 11 at a local nursing home.  
Prior to her retirement some years ago, she was employed by Kasper Furniture Company and was a domestic worker at the church.

Surviving are a stepdaughter, Mrs. Quilla Hutchins, and two stepsons, William and Edward Humble.

## FANNIE MAE DAVENPORT

Mrs. Fannie Mae Davenport, a senior member of Northside New Era Baptist Church, was buried December 13 following services at the church.

Mrs. Davenport, 64, 353 Congress, died December 9 at Methodist Hospital. She was active with the church's First Aid Group and Senior Usher Board.

Survivors include her husband, William Davenport, and a daughter, Mrs. Anna Sims.



STEPPING OUT in high fashion this Christmas is Shindana's Kim who this year comes in new Jeans 'n' Things Collection. Each of Kim's three assorted "in" outfits are specially tailored for today's look, made of tie-dye denims and mod prints. Kim measures 15" tall, with movable arms, legs and head and is sure to delight older, fashion-conscious girls as they style Kim's long real rooted hair or mix and match her outfits. Shindana Toys is based in Los Angeles.

## Church Events

By WILLA THOMAS

This week's meditation is dedicated to shut-ins, those who recently lost loved ones and others with pressing problems.

IT TAKES THE BITTER AND THE SWEET TO MAKE A LIFE FULL AND COMPLETE:

Life is a mixture of sunshine and rain,  
Laughter and teardrops, pleasure and pain--  
Low tides and high tides, mountains and plains,  
Triumphs, defeats and losses and gains--  
But Always in All Ways God's guiding and leading And He alone knows the things we're most needing--  
And when He sends sorrow or some dreaded affliction,  
Be assured that it comes with God's kind benediction--  
And if we accept it as a Gift of His Love,  
We'll be showered with blessings from Our Father Above.

As we busily engage in our Christmas activities, remember the holiday is CHRISTMAS and not XMAS. It's Christ's birthday Christians are supposedly celebrating and his name should remain in it.

A special film and appropriate accompanying program will be highlights of First Baptist Church Sunday School's Christmas program Sunday at 3 p.m. Mrs. Helen Williams heads the committee charged with directing the activity in the church gym. The children also plan to carol and distribute greeting cards in various neighborhoods.

Holiday churches of the week are Mt. Carmel Baptist, 5502 E. 36th, Rev. T. T. Newman, pastor; Southern Baptist, 2446 N. Gale, Rev. W. E. Pittman, pastor and Church off The Living God, CWFF, No. 18, 3001 N. Gale, Rev. James Hawkins, minister. You're invited to join either for Sunday School at 9:30 a.m.; morning worship, 10:30 a.m., a n d evening worship, 7:30 p.m.

Our thanks to Mrs. Hilda Tolbert for the generous gift of toys for church children. Get-well greetings to Mrs. Easter Hill and Rev. Edward Vincent in Methodist Hospital. Dr. F. Benjamin Davis at Winona Memorial Hospital, and Rev. William squires a n d Mrs. Alfredia Thurman, recuperating at home. I'm also appreciative of the used eye glasses and Christmas cards. Your continued support is needed.

Here's our annual reminder to support the fight against lung afflictions through the purchase of Christmas seals. The caroling heard on Monument Circle featuring various groups from throughout the city seems more beautiful than ever this year. If not to shop, visit downtown just to hear it and take in the sparkling decorations.

Newly-elected officers of St. Rita's Catholic Church's Christ the King Court No. 97 are ladies Essie Edwards, Grand Lady; Evelyn Jones, Vice Grand Lady; Ernestine Bason, financial secretary; Margaret Taylor, recording secretary; Jessie Akins, treasurer; lady Joan Moorman, Junior Daughter counselor; Catherine Sedens, sergeant of arms; Ernestine Williams, inner guard; Barbara Gillenwaters, outer guard; Lenora Anderson, lecturer; and Lula Douglass, finance committee.

Church school students of Christ Church Cathedral on the Circle present their annual



pageant Sunday morning at 9 a.m. . . If your church hasn't responded to the Central District Baptist Association's plea for funds, encourage members to do so immediately. . . Attention First Baptist Church members: Address your greeting cards and drop them in the church box Sunday. . . We can not say "thank you" enough to the International Welcoming Committee, New Bethel Baptist Church pastored by Dr. F. Benjamin Davis a n d Mrs. Margie Arnett, chairman, for the splendid job done at the International Students party.

Tolbert Inspirational Singers present a concert Sunday night 7:30 p.m., at First Baptist Church, N.I. . . Kids at Pilgrim Baptist Church will be featured in a Christmas program Sunday night, 6:30 p.m. . . Baptist Ministers Alliance's annual dinner will be Monday at Pearl's Lounge.

Need I remind you to attend church Sunday and take a friend?

## ETHEL M. PARROTT

Former Indianapolis resident Mrs. Ethel Marie Parrott, 49, was buried here December 15 after rites at St. Rita's Catholic Church. She died December 11 at Menorah Hospital in Kansas City, Mo., where she lived.

Survivors include her husband, Thomas R. Parrott; two sons, Gregory and Ketih Parrott, and two daughters, Miss Cathy Parrott and Miss Tammi Parrott.

## RAY V. FOX

Ray V. Fox, 62-year-old maintenance worker for Indianapolis Newspapers Inc., was buried December 13 following rites at Stuart Mortuary. He died December 8 at Wishard Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Fox, 1022 N. West, was a member of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign War.

Survivors include a daughter, Mrs. Marguerite Hayden, and a sister, Mrs. Willia May Halsey.

## FREDERICK L. TAYLOR

Burial for Frederick Leon Taylor, 50-year-old retired Link-Belt Division of FMC Corporation worker w a s December 8 in New Crown Cemetery after graveside services.

Mr. Taylor, 2334 W. 67th, died December 4 at a friend's home. He served in World War II with the Air Force and was a member of the Veterans of Foreign War, American Legion and United Steelworkers of America, Local 1150.

Survivors include two sons, Frederick Leon Taylor Jr. and Jerry Dwayne Taylor, both of Indianapolis and five daughters Mrs. Diana Marie Brown, Mrs. Deborah Denise Jackson, Misses Donna Rene Taylor and Dietra Taylor, all of Indianapolis, and Miss Darlene Kay Taylor, Columbus, Ohio.

## JOHNNY WYATT

Salem Missionary Baptist Church was the scene of rites December 11 for Johnny Wyatt, 60-year-old Allison employee. He died December 5 at Wishard Memorial Hospital.

Mr. Wyatt lived at 2022 Sugar Grove.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Rose Wyatt; two sons, Robert and John Wyatt; four daughters, Miss Nadine Wyatt, Miss Gladys Wyatt, Miss Judy Wyatt and Mrs. Lenora Rose; two stepsons, Charles and Joseph Kent, and two stepdaughters, Miss Angela Rollins and Miss Yvonne Kent.



BELL RINGER: Mrs. Lucille Gordan, an L. Strauss Department Store employee, is bundled against sub-freezing weather as she mans a Salvation Army donation kettle post in downtown Indianapolis. Mrs. Gordan is among hundreds of volunteers helping collect money to aid needy families at Christmas.

[Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

## Eastside News

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Extension Service): Why wash dishes? Clean dishes are part of a clean house. Clean dishes keep your family healthy. Dirty dishes carry germs. Food looks better on clean dishes and tastes better.

MARY THE MOTHER OF JESUS, from A.T. Robertson's book:

--Mary's preparation for her destiny--

Luke tells the story of the interview of the angel Gabriel with Mary with matchless delicacy and grace. She knew, of course as did all Jewish maidens, that one day the Messiah of promise would gladden the heart of the mother chosen for that high mission.

"The Holy Spirit shall come upon you and the power of the Most High shall overshadow you, wherefore, the holy thing that is to be begotten shall be called the son of God. Now, behold, Elisabeth, your kinswoman has herself conceived a son in her old days."

Mary arose to the height of the promise of the Lord with all the wonder and mystery involved in her full surrender to the Lord's will.

--Mary carrying the secret in her own heart--

Could Mary tell her mother the words of the angel? Was her mother living? We are told nothing. We do not know the names of her parents, though legend gives them as Joachem of Nazareth and Anna of Bethlehem. It is probably that Mary belonged to the tribe of

Judah and the lineage of David as Joseph did (Luke:32, 69; 2:50).

Elisabeth belonged to the tribe of Levi (Luke 1:36). Mary hastened to Elisabeth who knew at once that Mary was the woman of God's choice and sang a song of praise to Mary (Luke 1:42-5).

"Blessed art thou among women. And blessed is the fruit of my womb. And whence, is this to me, that the mother of my Lord should come unto me?"

"For behold when the voice of thy salutation came unto mine ears, the babe in my womb leaped for joy. And blessed is she that believed, for there shall be fulfillment of the things which have been spoken to her from the Lord."

## Chatting with

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Dec. 20, Mrs. Florence Bullock, 3201 N. Meridian St., Apt. 3.

Dec. 21, Mrs. Verdell Blackmon, 861 West 27th St.

Dec. 22, Mr. Thomas Wooten, 243 West 38th St.  
Dec. 24, Samuel Rodgers, 501 N. East St., Apt. 308.

There's Music in the air. The streets are filled with friendly smiles and joy is everywhere  
All signs are signs of happiness and suddenly Christmas comes.

## Happiness Through Health

by Otto McClarrin



A swine flu epidemic this winter without the government's immunization program could kill more than 50,000 Americans and cost the nation \$6 billion, a Harvard medical school study says.

Researchers concluded that if enough people take swine flu shots, the mass vaccination program will be a good financial investment. When the study was made, the odds of such an epidemic occurring were estimated at about one in 10.

The researchers estimated that if a swine flu epidemic spreads across the country, more than 56 million persons - or one-fourth of the population - would get the disease. Of these 50,000 would die, and 38 percent of the deaths would be among people over 65, researchers state.

ALCOHOLISM A M O N G WOMEN:

Drinking among young women, particularly high schoolers, is rising sharply, but too little attention is being paid to the problems of women alcoholics by the Government, a Senate subcommittee was told recently.

The Subcommittee on Alcoholism and Narcotics also heard testimony showing that the newborn children of mothers who drank heavily frequently suffer serious physical and mental abnormalities.

Dr. Ernest Noble, director of the National Institute on Alcohol Abuse and Alcoholism, said more women are drinking than ever, but the proportion of young women who drink "is substantially higher -- and rising sharply."

While almost three-fourths of all college women now drink, the rate "for female high school students is rising even faster," Noble said, going from 25 percent in the 1960's to 69 percent in 1974.

Dr. Henry Rosett, of Boston University's School of Medicine said one study which showed that "of the 42 infants born to heavy drinking women, 69 percent presented at least one abnormality as compared with 36 percent of those born to moderate drinking women and 35 percent of those born to rare drinking women."

## NEW CANCER RESEARCH:

Oklahoma Medical Research Foundation doctors are having success in controlling cancer in

some patients by giving them a tuberculosis vaccine, one of the physicians said recently.

Dr. Rick Ishmael said the vaccine, BCG, apparently spur the body to produce antibodies which attack both tubercle bacilli and some type of cancer.

"Immunotherapy" is one of the more exciting directions taken by cancer research in recent years, Ishmael said at a briefing for 20 nurses who will staff a special tumor ward at University Hospital.

He said studies have indicated children who received BCG vaccine had fewer cases of leukemia than children who never received the vaccine.

A French doctor eight years ago found that child cancer patients who received BCG responded much better to other cancer therapy than children who had not received BCG, he said.

## STUDY MINIMIZES SPOUSE'S ROLE IN CAUSING ALCOHOLIC TO DRINK:

A research team at Butler Hospital in Providence, R.I. says alcoholics' spouses are usually not responsible for causing their husbands or wives to drink to excess.

The researchers studied the spouses of 25 males and 15 female alcoholics hospitalized at Butler over a nine-month period last year.

The husbands and wives of the alcoholics were, for the most part, psychologically normal, according to the research team. The researchers emphasized, however, that their results must be considered preliminary. (NNPA)

## DEATH SENTENCES FOR GUERRILLAS UPHELD

SALISBURY, Rhodesia--

Rhodesia's appeal court has upheld death sentences for seven Black guerrillas who admitted they had taken part in bomb attacks on a Salisbury night club and restaurant. It reduced the death sentence of an eight man to life imprisonment.

All eight had filed appeals against sentences imposed on Aug. 30 after they had pleaded guilty to grenade attacks on the Pink Panther restaurant and la Boheme nightclub and to having planted explosives in a beer hall and on railroad tracks.

Money does the talking.

Drops turn into gallons. Gallons turn into more gallons. And leaky faucets turn into more leaks.

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Turn us on...we'll come running.



# Aretha celebrates "10 Years Of Gold"

1976 has been a year to remember for Aretha Franklin, capped by her colossal #1-charted R&B smash single, "Something He Can Feel," from her 7th RIAA-certified gold album, "Sparkle," music from the Warner Bros. motion picture, composed and produced by Curtis Mayfield.

Gold records, of course, are nothing new for Aretha, who's walked away with the 21 of them that she has earned since coming to Atlantic. In early 1968, shortly more than a year after signing with the label, she had amassed five gold singles—the first woman in RIAA history to accomplish the feat.

That same year, she walked away with NATRA's coveted award as "Singer of the Year"; she also swept both singles and albums categories in the annual polls of Billboard, Cashbox, and Record World; and had her status re-confirmed when she won twin Grammy awards for "Best Rhythm and Blues Recording" ("Respect") and "Best Female Rhythm and Blues Singer of the Year."

Although the 1960's found Aretha breaking ground and establishing precedents within the entertainment world that no other woman will ever match, the 1970's held even greater triumphs in store.

Originally signed to Atlantic (and produced) by Jerry Wexler on November 21, 1966 by the time her 5th anniversary celebration with the label arrived, Aretha was in the midst of putting together no less than four consecutively-released RIAA gold singles, and collecting three more Grammy awards ('70, '71, '72) as "Best Female Rhythm and Blues Singer of the Year."

Now the date is December 18, 1976 just 10 years (and 3 days) after Aretha's signing to Atlantic, and the official release date of her 20th album for the label, "TEN YEARS OF GOLD."

The dozen sides contained therein recap the bulk of Aretha's gold singles, and then some, starting with her first four consecutively smashes of 1967, "I Never Loved A Man (The Way I Love You)," "RESPECT," "Baby, I Love You," and "You Make Me Feel Like A Natural Woman."

1968 brought on another pair of gold 45's, "Think" and "See Saw," also included on this new collection.

From '71-'72 come a trio of consecutively gold sides, "SPANISH HARMONY," "ROCK STEADY," and "DAY DREAMING"; while 1973 yielded the

consecutive hits, ANGEL" (co-produced by Quincy Jones and Aretha) and the Stevie Wonder-penned "UNTIL YOU COME BACK TO ME (THAT'S WHAT I'M GONNA DO)."

"TEN YEARS OF GOLD" closes with the single that contributed toward making '76 a banner anniversary year,

"SOMETHING HE CAN FEEL," ranked the country's #1 R&B single by Billboard, Cashbox, and Record World for 5 weeks in June and July.

And here's a toast to the Queen—as we all look forward to the celebration of Aretha's 15th anniversary with Atlantic in five years time!



**WALKER'S CURRENT FEATURE:**Gathered around David Niven who portrays an urbane, contemporary Count Dracula in American International's "OLD DRACULA," now showing at the WALKER THEATER, 607 Indiana Avenue, are Teresa Graves, who portrays his wife, Vampira, and Peter Bayliss as the properly sinister butler, Maltravers. Three unusual vampires, wouldn't you say! No. 2 hit is "STREET PEOPLE," starring Roger Moore and Stacy Keach.

## Movie recreates 'Sparkling' fifties

All the glitter and drive of the 1950's rock-and-roll era returns via the silver screen in Warner Bros. "Sparkle" now showing at the Uptown Theatre, 42nd and College Avenue.

Featuring the Aretha Franklin-performances of Curtis Mayfield, "Sparkle" tells the story of three female vocalists (17-year-old Irene Cara, in the title role, Lonette McKee and Dawn Smith) who fight their way from the ghettos of Harlem to the bright lights of Superstardom.

The Sam O'Steen-directed movie also features appearances by Mary Alice, Dorian Harewood, Tony King and Philip M. Thomas. Director O'Steen recently received an Emmy nomination for the production of "Queen of the Stardust Ballroom."


The screenplay for "Sparkle" was penned by Joel "Car Wash" Schumacher, while Howard Rosenman sat in the producer's chair. The Rosenman-Schumacher duo teamed to write the

story. Credit the talented Mayfield for scoring his fourth major motion picture, "Sparkle" joins "Super Fly," "Claudine" and "Let's Do It Again" as subjects of Mayfield's musical discussion.

If you can't catch the movie, Aretha's Original Soundtrack Recording is available on Atlantic Records and Tapes. The LP features the hit singles "Something He Can Feel" and "Jump."

Supporting "Sparkle" on the Uptown screen is "Willie Dynamite," featuring Roscoe Orman and the late Diana Sands. See the advertisement elsewhere in this section for showtime.





**Believe Me..**

**When I Tell You**

BOB WOMACK SR.

Hi There Fans: RECORDS...Changes have been made among the first five headliners in the weekly "Soul Brothers Top 20." However, "You Don't Have To Be A Star" featuring Marilyn McCoo & Billy Davis Jr., found on the ABC label, continues in first place. Other winners are - (2) "Car Wash" sung by Rose Royce (MCA). (3) "Dazz" featuring Brick Bang (ABC). (4) "Enjoy Yourself" spotlighting the Jacksons (Epic). And No. 5 "Catfish" with the Four Tops (ABC).

Nat Adderley, trumpeter, is now fronting his own aggregation. His latest platter, "Hummin'," can be found on the Little David label...The Impression's "It's About Time," has just been released, and already, it looks like it will become another hit-single with their disco version of "I Saw Mommy Kissing Santa Clause," found on the "Funky Christmas" Lp.

Did you know that almost one-third, 32.5 percent, of all record buyers purchase their favorite singles and albums at record stores? Discount stores are the most popular place for 24.7 percent of the record buyers followed by department stores, 21.8 percent; mail-order, 11.9 percent; variety stores, 3.7 percent, and other outlets, 5.4 percent...Sly Stone and his group returns to the hot-wax world after a long lay-off with an album called "Heard Ya Missed Me. Well I'm Back."

Movies...Now Magazine will soon ask its many national reading fans to select and rank 10 "foxes" in order of preference from this list of 200 nominations for best Black actress awards:

Leslie Uggams, Cicely Tyson, Bernadette Stanis, Diana Ross, Ester Rolle, Denise Nicholas, Melba Moore, and Rosalind Miles. Also, Lisa Moore, Vonneta McGee, Janet MacLachlan, Loretta Long, Patti Jo, Ellen Holly, and Shirley Hemphill. Not forgetting, Lynn Hamilton, Pam Grier, Ja'Net Dubois, Tamara Dobson and Diahann Carroll.

Incidentally, don't forget to dig the new flick, "Silver Streak" co-starring Richard Pryor, Jill Clayburgh, Seatman Crothers, Gene Wilder and others, when it comes your way...Melba Moore, singer-actress after appearing at the Met in concert last Sunday evening says her next venture is films. "We're now looking at

properties to launch my film career."

TELEVISION...The amount of time Americans spend watching public television (PBS) increased 60.8 percent from October 1975 to March 1976, reports the trade journal broadcasting. A survey showed that during March of this year some 35,080,000 homes tuned in PBS programs at least once. This represents 50.4 percent of all American households - the first time that public television has reached more than half the households in any one month.

The top-rated "Sesame Street" TV series has been so successful in the nation's federal slammers that the Federal Bureau of Prisons wants more in their institutions....The pic "Norman...Is That You?" featuring TV stars Redd Foxx and Pearl Bailey, has been chosen to receive the Blue Ribbon award for September by the National Screen Council. (No reason was given for the delay.)

The award is given each month on the basis of outstanding merit and suitability for family entertainment by the council comprised of motion picture editors, radio and TV film commentators, representatives of better films councils, civic, educational and exhibitor organizations. George Schlatter produced and directed the comedy. The film which has enjoyed outstanding box-office success since its release is based on the Broadway play by Ron Clark and Sam Bobrick.

FAMOUS QUOTES...Dizzy Gillespie - "It took me all my life to learn the biggest music lesson of them all - what not to play....Billy Dee Williams - "To me Martin Luther King was the Christ figure of the 20th Century, just as Hitler was the anti-Christ....Ray Charles - "We have a lot of things that need to be changed and a lot of things we have accomplished. But when you travel to other places, you realize how great this country is."

Pearl Bailey - "The churches are going bananas. My father was a reverend and I remember the days when a reverend was involved in keeping the soul straight and reading the Good Book. Instead, it has come to the point that they're making politicians out of them....Betty Carter, popular singer - "I'm probably one of the most fortunate people in the music business. I started out doing

## Christmas show on stage Saturday night at Walker

Here it is—the hottest show to hit this man's town in many moons—it's the ALFE (Association for Loan Free Education) Benefit Show at the Walker theater this Saturday night, December 18 from 10:30 until (??) wee hours of morn.

The show is presented for

your enjoyment by The Odyssey Show Band and the Reality Show Band with more than 30 young entertainers doing their thing as singers and dancers. It promises to be the best show of its kind ever presented in Naptown Admission is \$2.50 and everybody is welcome.

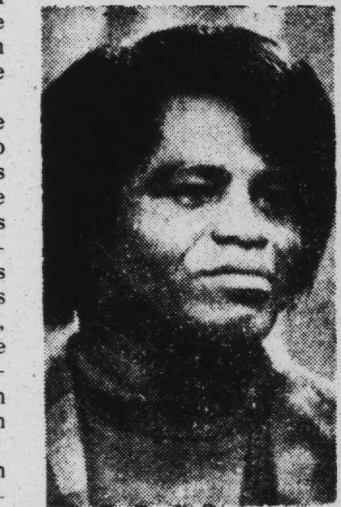
Remember, there are many groups to perform so come on out and bring the family and friends and give these youngsters a big push.

Valuable trophies will be awarded to the three winning groups and here's the line up:

The Dancers of Love, The Soul Booper (dancers), Little Johnny Kelly (dancers), Greg Penner (dancer), Steve Singer, Emma Jean Hill (singer), The Loner (dancer), The Junior Free Styles, The Car Wash Gang, Misty and her Neighbor, Herschel and his Singing Partner, the Sander Sisters (dancers), captivating Paula and others.

Don't miss this exciting Christmas Show this Saturday night at the Walker theater, 601 Indiana Ave. Admission is \$2.50. You'll COME!!

## It's the decade of James Brown



JAMES BROWN  
"I'm back!"

By LYNN FORD

This has to be the decade of James Brown, he's back!

Although the popular singer has seen unlimited success since 1955's "Please, Please, Please," his record of the current decade speaks for itself.

Ranging from album production to writing the original score for the movie "Black Caesar," it seems "The Godfather Of Soul" has done it all this decade.

JB has not always reached the No. 1 spot on the national charts, but he maintains consistency as far as successes go. The lyrics aren't the best in the world, but then again, what disco fan listens to lyrics? The "Brown Sound" includes the "funky horns" (as opposed to former group member Bootsy Collins' "horny horns") and the ever present repetitious beat, that in many cases, Brown is notorious for.

Brown's best year, as far as his up-tempo product is concerned, has to be 1971. In that year, he churned out such smashing hits as "Make It Funky," "Hot Pants" and the original "Sex Machine," all reaching the top spot on the soul charts.

From that, he coasted for a while with Lyn Collins and Maceo and the Macks on tour.

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## Let's Get It Together

By Nettie Lester

DEAR NETTIE: I have a mother who is strong in her belief of God. However, she

### Believe me

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what I'm doing now. Other people may have more money, but they don't feel any better than I do."

TID-BITS: Another movie biography is in the works. This one is the "Joe Louis Story" starring O. J. Simpson as the legendary boxer. Also on the movie boxing scene is Muhammad Ali, who is being praised for his acting debut in the movie, "The Greatest," based on Ali's life story. Co-stars and crew are playing close attention to Ali's acting, but they try to ignore his bragging. The Champ is already saying he's better than John Wayne or Charlton Heston (smile).

Jimmy Collins, one of Indy's all-time greats on the '88'er (piano) is currently wailing as a single in the Reef Room of the Marriott Hotel, Tuesday thru Saturday nites. Hours: 5 p.m. until 10 p.m. We understand, he is doing a little taste of singing on the side...More power to him on t h e latter...And That's The Black Truth!...Recently friend Marshall "Big Mike" Blair, motored to Cincinnati, Ohio, to visit his daughter and grandchildren. The dude is sportin' a very expensive New CB set. At this writing, we don't know his radio-name (call-letters). However, when we learn the information, we will pass it on to his many CB friends...Right On!

George Landers, popular sportsman and yours truly, will invade Louisville, and Bowling Green, Ky., respectively around the first of the year for a two-day business trip. Landers is one of the field-men for the Womack Enterprises, Inc. Also we might dig Nashville, Tenn., too. IN CLOSING, we wish to salute Dr. H. Middleton, MD. In our book he is a very nice person to know. He has been our family physician for many years. Also orchids to his lovely wife, Easter...Later, for the happenings.

criticizes anyone who does not share her belief. She makes me feel so bad, as any little thing I say is wrong because I am a Baptist and she is an Apostolic. She feels that because I don't speak in tongues, I'm doomed and hell bound. She really hurts me and I can't talk to her. Sometimes she makes me so uncomfortable I don't even want to visit her, knowing how she is going to treat me and down what I do. Do I have the wrong attitude or is she right? HURT

DEAR HURT: The next chance you get, pass these bits of information on to your mother: "FOR GOD SO LOVED THE WORLD, THAT HE GAVE HIS ONLY BEGOTTEN SON, THAT WHOEVER BELIEVETH IN HIM, SHOULD NOT PERISH, BUT HAVE EVERLASTING LIFE" (John: 3:16). "JUDGE NOT, THAT YE BE NOT JUDGED. FOR WITH WHAT JUDGEMENT YE JUDGE, YE SHALL BE JUDGED; AND WITH WHAT MEASURE YE METE, IT SHALL BE MEASURED TO YOU AGAIN" (ST. MATTHEW 7:1-2). Paul, in his letter in the book of Romans, warned even the JEWS that ALL SIN would be punished by GOD and that THERE WILL BE GLORY AND HONOR AND PEACE FROM GOD FOR ALL WHO OBEY GOD. WHETHER THEY ARE JEWS OR GENTILES, FOR GOD TREATS EVERYONE THE SAME. (Romans 2:10-11)

In regards to speaking in tongues, the 14th Chapter of I Corinthians teaches a beautiful lesson as outlined by Paul. After you sincerely communicate with God, read the entire chapter thoroughly. When you get a better understanding of what "speaking in tongues" is all about, I believe you will be less concerned about your mother's criticism. God has undoubtedly blessed you with at least one gift. If you use it to the fullest extent, you will have less time to worry over (even) mother's criticism! Pray for her and respect her "gift" of "speaking in tongues"

DEAR NETTIE: Christmas is,

## 'Hustle' Uptown bound

"Monkey Hustle", starring Yaphet Kotto and Rudy Ray Moore, hits the Uptown Theatre, 42nd and College Avenue next week.

Kotto stars as "Daddy Foxx" in the Christmas comedy. See The Recorder Entertainment Section next week for more information!

almost here and I am so depressed! I am a high school graduate, living with my family, able-bodied and willing to work. The problem is I am unemployed. I have been on unemployment compensation for several weeks, and I have gone from place to place trying to find a job-unsuccessfully! Well, I have received my last check from unemployment benefits and, with no money left, I know Christmas will be lousy. I wonder if anyone else feels the way I do?

DEPRESSED: I hope not! What does money or the lack thereof have to do with one's happiness at Christmas time? Let me see if I can help you count just a few of your blessings:

1. You are alive, 2. You have completed 12 years of schooling, 3. You have a family, 4. You have shelter, 5. You are able-bodied, 6. You have a willing mind toward work, 7. You were eligible for unemployment benefits, 8. You have a God who is obviously merciful even when we complain, 9. Finally, you are better off than many of your peers-the drop-outs, the orphans, the sheltered, the handicapped-just to name a few!

If you would dare let CHRIST be the center of your attention, CHRISTMAS will indeed have a fuller meaning in your life! Think about it!!

Are you concerned about your problems? Write me, Nettie, in care of The Indianapolis Recorder, 2901 N. Tacoma Avenue, Indianapolis, Ind. 46218. For a personal reply, please send a self-addressed, stamped envelope. (NOTE: If you do not want your answer printed under any circumstances, please indicate this when you write.)



'STARSHIP CONNECTION' ARRIVES: Kenneth McCauley (left) and David Gorton of Dignity, Inc., has planned another majestic evening, dedicated to Sagittarius and Capricorn, for Saturday, December 18, from 4-8 p.m. at Players Den, 825 W. 30th. A portion of the proceeds from this affair will go to the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People. For additional information, call 257-4951.d

### James Brown

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Describing the success of the album as well as the two singles, he simply said, "I can see the disco now."

"You Took My Heart" is another of the best songs in the album. It features a smooth Barry White-like instrumental backing, as well as vocal background sounding much like Donald Byrd's Blackbyrds. Later in the song, JB admits, "I'm sounding like Barry White."

The new edited single, "I Refuse To Lose", is the fastest paced selection in the album. The song speaks of, although there are "hard times", "James Brown, he refuse to lose...". JB also mentions that Elvis Presley, probably a close rival when it comes to drawing power and durability, "Refuses to lose."

Yes, as he told us last July, "I'm back, I'm back!" so to the party people, "Get Up Offa That Thing and dance 'till you feel better!"

### Modern Dance

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'Masterclass' set Dec. 18

The Indiana Dance Alliance and Dance Kaleidoscope will offer a Modern Dance Masterclass taught by Bill Hug, Saturday, December 18th, beginning at 9:30 a.m. at Lilly Hall, Butler University.

Bill Hug, chairman of the Dance Department, University of South Florida, is nationally known for his choreography and is here as Artist in Residence with Dance Kaleidoscope. In the past, Hug has worked with Jose Limon, Martha Graham and Doris Humphrey and served on the faculty of the Dance Department, Interlochen, Michigan, for several years.

The class is open to the public and a minimum fee will be charged. For additional information call 299-6579 or 846-4584.

This class is made possible with the support of the National Foundation on the Arts and Humanities and the Indiana State Arts Commission.

### Barbara McBain

#### named to high

#### post at NBC

The appointment of Barbara McBain as director, Resources Planning, was announced this week by Alfred Ordoover, vice-president, Corporate Planning, NBC.

Ms. McBain has been Administrator, Broadcast Planning for the past year. She joined NBC in July, 1975 as a Research Assistant as part of NBC's College Management Development Program.

Prior to joining NBC, she completed her M.B.A. at the University of Chicago's Graduate Business School. During her second year of graduate study, she worked for the First National Bank of Chicago as the

Corporate Advertising Manager.

In 1972 Ms. McBain worked as a free-lance consultant in marketing and communications; she joined the Public Affairs Department at WMAQ-TV, the NBC Television Station in Chicago, in that capacity in 1973. While at WMAQ-TV she wrote and researched "The Black Family: A Working Majority," a special on blue-collar families. She also served for several months in the station's Broadcast Standards Department.

From 1970 to 1972 she was a copy supervisor at Burrell Advertising, Inc. in Chicago, and from 1969 to 1970 she worked as a copywriter for Leo Burnett Company, Inc., there.

A 1968 Graduate of Washington State University, she received the Media Woman's Award for achievement in communications from the National Association of Media Women, Chicago Chapter.

Ms. McBain lives in Manhattan with her 6-year-old daughter, Letta.

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**NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION**  
In the Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana.

In the Matter of the Estate of CORNELIUS DOMINIC JORMAN, deceased.  
Estate Docket 76 Page 1849  
Notice is hereby given that MARY HELEN JOHNSON was on the 2nd day of December, 1976, appoint personal representative of the estate of CORNELIUS DOMINIC JORMAN, deceased.

All persons having claims against said estate, whether or not now due, must file the name in said Court within five (5) months from the date of the first publication of this notice or said claims will be forever barred.

Dated at Indianapolis, Indiana, this 2nd day of December, 1976.  
Thomas P. O'Brien, Clerk  
Clerk of the Probate Court for Marion County, Indiana  
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Fay H. Williams, Atty.  
**NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION FOR DETERMINATION OF HEIRSHIP**

In the Matter of the Estate of George Berry Sr., deceased.  
In The Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana  
Estate Docket E76 Page 1847  
Notice is hereby given that Beatrice Berry, the daughter of the deceased, more than 45 days being elapsed since the death of said George Berry Sr., on the 28th day of September 1976 filed her verified Petition for Determination of Heirship of the above named decedent.

And the Court having examined said petition has ordered a hearing on the 13th day of January, 1977, at 9:30 o'clock A.M.

All persons claiming or having an interest in said estate or any part thereof due, must file same in said Court within thirty (30) days from the date of first publication of this notice.

That said Probate Court of Marion County will pursuant to such hearing, enter a decree determining the heirs of such decedent and their respective interest in such estate or any parts thereof.

This notice is given pursuant to the order of the probate Court of Marion County, and is dated this 2nd day of December, 1976.  
Thomas P. O'Brien  
Clerk of the Probate Court of Marion County, Indiana  
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## LEGAL NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

Notice is hereby given that a public hearing will be held at 7:30 P.M. on Monday, December 20, 1976, in Room 123 of the Indiana Convention Exposition Center, 100 South Capitol Ave. at Indianapolis, Indiana, for purpose of discussing alternate corridors for an improvement and upgrading of West Street on the west side of the Central business district of Indianapolis in Marion County, State and Federal Relocation Assistance Programs, and tentative time-tables for right-of-way acquisition and construction, will also be reviewed on this occasion.

As planned, the West Street project proposes the development of a north-south facility, approximately 2.08 miles in length to link I-65 and I-70 along the west edge of the Central business district of Indianapolis. Also included in the proposed improvement is the development of plans for an east-west one-through the Central business district of Indianapolis.

As now proposed, the north-south alternates under consideration to link I-65 and I-70 will be constructed at-grade, and provides for a six to eight lane facility compared to the existing four lanes. Total costs for the proposed improvement have been estimated to range upward from approximately \$14,043,000 to \$16,814,500, dependent upon which corridor is ultimately adopted for the project.

The corridor location study and a draft environmental impact statement describing the alternate alignments under consideration, along with any other materials relative to the proposed project is publicly available during normal office hours in Room 1205 of the Indiana State Office Building, 100 North Senate Avenue Indianapolis, and in the Drafting Room of the Indianapolis Department of Transportation, Room 2342, City-County Building, Indianapolis, Indiana. Location sketches may be obtained in the aforementioned offices by any interested citizen upon request.

State Highway Commission personnel, along with Indianapolis Department of Transportation representatives, will be available on the date of the hearing from 2:00 P.M. to 5:00 P.M. in Room 123 of the Indiana Convention Exposition Center for individual explanations and relevant discussions with any interested citizen.

All interested parties are invited and urged to be present or represented at either or both sessions of the meeting, including spokesmen for Federal, State, and local governmental agencies; agricultural, commercial, industrial, business, transportation, and utilities interests; civic, social, economic, environmental, and ecological concerns; and private citizens or property owners. All parties will be afforded full opportunity to express their views and furnish specific data on matters pertinent to the project.

Written statements and exhibits will also be accepted for purpose of the official record in the Office of the Indiana State Highway Commission's Planning Information Manager at the aforementioned Indianapolis address any time from this date and for a period of two weeks following the public hearing, or may be handed to the presiding officer at the meeting.

This notice is published in compliance with Title 23, U.S. Code, Federal Road Acts of 1958, and the Federal Highway Administration's Federal-Aid Highway Program Manual, Volume 7, Chapter 7, Section 5, dated December 30, 1974, and the Indiana State Highway Commission's approved Action Plan.

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612 E. Indiana Ave.	4	4,500.	Cash	-0-	-0-
NORTH WEBSTER					
R.R. #1	3	31,400.	1,000.	233.76	265.
FORT WAYNE					
830 Archer St.	3	17,100.	-0-	131.50	171.
3317 Bowser	2	9,300.	-0-	71.52	94.
4129 S. Clinton St.	3	12,600.	200.	95.36	123.
1914 Drexel Ave.	4	13,800.	700.	100.73	139.
2403 Euclid Ave. [2 Units]	4	6,500.	Cash	-0-	-0-
3633 Felician St.	3	13,600.	200.	103.05	142.
3215 Fruhauf Dr.	3	17,600.	400.	132.27	160.
9109 Hemphill Dr.	3	28,500.	500.	215.32	255.
3529 McCormack	3	8,300.	100.	63.06	97.
2326 Park Crest Rd.	3	27,900.	1,500.	212.43	255.
2610 Sheridan Rd.	2	8,500.	-0-	65.37	80.
1505 Ventura Lane	3	16,100.	400.	124.58	159.
JONESBORO					
207 James St.	2	5,500.	200.	40.76	57.
KOKOMO					
921 N. Armstrong	5	7,800.	-0-	59.98	90.
2003 N. Delphos	2	17,800.	300.	134.58	175.
HARTFORD CITY					
615 W. Main St.	3	14,500.	200.	109.96	131.
MARIION					
2705 S. Gallatin	3	100,000.	-0-	76.90	107.
358 E. Grant	4	11,000.	600.	79.97	110.
625 E. Stephenson	3	14,500.	-0-	111.51	134.
MUNCIE					
506 Bauer St.	3	9,000.	-0-	72.42	103.
2104 N. Macedonia	2	1,500.	Cash	-0-	-0-
2012 S. Pershing St.	2	11,500.	500.	84.59	112.
R.R. 13, Rd. 450 N.	2	22,000.	300.	166.87	195.
1122 E. 5th St.	3	10,800.	400.	84.46	101.
CLARKSVILLE					
1331 Woerner Ave. [4Units]	7	8,500.	Cash	-0-	-0-
COLUMBUS					
R.R. 8 Lot 2	3	25,050.	550.	188.41	239.
1210 Grande Ave.	3	18,950.	550.	141.50	180.
JEFFERSONVILLE					
792 Dellinger Dr.	3	18,950.	350.	143.03	176.
120 Loma Vista Dr.	3	12,000.	Cash	-0-	-0-
724 Ohio Ave.	2	15,500.	500.	115.35	148.
SELEERSBURG					
829 Iowa Dr.	3	27,200.	900.	203.77	233.
SCOTTSBURG					
67 S. Main St.	3	17,000.	400.	127.65	160.
BEDFORD					
2009 "I" St.	2	6,700.	-0-	51.52	73.
EVANSVILLE					
805 E. Gum St.	4	16,300.	400.	122.27	150.
WASHINGTON					
209 D. E. 2nd St.	6	3,000.0r	Best	Offer	
PARAGON					
R.R. 1, Ellis Rd.	3	19,750.	250.	149.96	177.
De MOTTE					
R.R. 1, Box 171 G	3	25,000.	500.	188.41	225.
EAST GARY					
3401 Iowa St.	3	19,850.	750.	153.09	180.
GARY					
221 Baker St.	3	16,400.	300.	123.81	163.
2500 Central Dr.	3	12,100.	200.	95.76	129.
1009-11 Cleveland St.	4	13,500.	-0-	103.82	144.
313 Dallas	2	10,500.	-0-	80.75	113.
748 Fillmore	2	15,400.	500.	114.58	143.
2421 Hobart	4	14,600.	300.	109.97	134.
3446 Johnson St.	2	14,800.	200.	113.81	142.
2665 Oklahoma St.	3	6,800.	400.	51.50	75.
113 Taft Pl.	2	16,700.	300.	126.11	154.
760 Virginia St. [DBLE]	3	10,300.	-0-	81.27	114.
1001 W. 2nd Ave.	3	10,300.	-0-	79.21	117.
6128 W. 7th Ave.	3	17,050.	750.	131.16	161.
2633 E. 22nd Ave.	3	13,300.	100.	101.51	135.
4381 W. 22nd Plaza	3	14,000.	200.	106.12	148.
HAMMOND					
5546 Claude	4	12,050.	150.	95.76	120.
1010 May St.	3	20,000.	500.	149.96	185.
MICHIGAN CITY					
501 Grace St.	3	23,000.	400.	174.56	218.

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**THAT TIME AGAIN:** It's Christmas time again and all over the city residents are busy decorating their homes with lights and ornaments. Pictured above is the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Maxie, 2509 N. Caroline. At right, 11-year-old Latonya Maxie and 7-year-old Vinette Maxie are pictured hanging ornaments on an evergreen. (Recorder photos by Jim Burres)

## 6 shopping days 'till Christmas

Yes, six shopping days remain until the big Christmas holiday, coming next Saturday. Meanwhile, the National Weather Service predicts, for the weekend prior to Santa's "midnight ride", sunny and mild conditions with no expected precipitation. Perfect money-spending weather. Weekend temperatures are expected to peak in the 40s before dropping into the low 30s. Sunday's outlook includes cooler temperatures with highs in the 30s, and lows in the 20s. Most stores will resume extended weekend hours for last-minute shopping convenience.

### CISKEI GETS AID

CISKEI, South Africa-(NBNS)- There was great enthusiasm in the United States to invest in the homelands and four major American companies had already indicated interest in the Ciskei, the Chief Minister, Mr. Lennox Sebe, said recently on his return from a three-week visit to the U.S. He said the Government of Ciskei planned to open an office in New York soon.

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Indianapolis					Indianapolis				
151-107328-235	515 E. 36th St.	4	1,000	MAP-CASH	151-115382-321	1205-07 S. St. Paul St.	4	1,500	MAP-CASH
151-104788-303	2446 N. Broadway St.	5	200	MAP-CASH	151-149985-203	809 Tecumseh St. No.	2	4,500	MAP-CASH
151-090144-303	2421 N. Carrollton Ave.	4	200	MAP-CASH	151-156251-203	715 N. Warren Ave.	2	1,000	MAP-CASH
151-128045-203	918-920 N. Dearborn St.	6	7,000	MAP-CASH	151-140305-235	1510 W. 21st St.	3	4,500	MAP-CASH
151-140352-221	711 Midway	3	7,000	MAP-CASH	151-129716-203	940 N. Keating St.	3	4,500	MAP-CASH
151-157278-203	225-227 N. Randolph St.	8	4,000	MAP-CASH	151-115389-235	11144 Monroe Cl.	3	17,000	MAP-CASH
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**FINAL REPOSE:** The bodies of Sheri Lynn, Anthony Dwayne, and William Lewis Wheeler III lie in state prior to funeral services last Friday morning in Summers Northeast Funeral Chapel. A fire of undetermined origin early Tuesday, December 7, in their home at 1310 W. 26th killed the three young children ranging in age from 18 months to 4 years old, of Mr. and Mrs. William Wheeler Jr. (Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams)

## Waiter 'taken' for \$20

From now on, 18-year-old Michael Niles will closely examine each dollar bill that passes through his hands, be it one or twenty dollars. Niles, 5200 block of East 32nd, an employee of Steak 'N Shake, 1192 North Arlington, told police Saturday a customer who had previously been waited on by another employee called him to a table and asked for change for a \$20 bill. Niles says he made the change, two tens for a twenty and the person left. When he looked at the "\$20", Niles said he was shocked to find it was a one dollar bill, with the corners of a \$20 pasted on it. The suspect, Niles told police, was a black male, approximately 22-years-old. He left the scene in a gray 1970 Oldsmobile 98, Westbound, with two other black males, Niles said. Yes, Niles will examine his money closely from now on.

## Carter reaffirms

showing whether consumers have regained confidence in the economy. "It's obvious that the economic circumstances of our country are much worse than we had anticipated six months ago or even three months ago... I think no matter what the definition is, the economic problems are very severe," Carter said. Certain programs that the mayors want, including an urban development bank, and a federal jobs program would take congressional action. But Gibson said that Carter could get things moving straight off by giving mayors access to the president. "If he will just designate someone responsible for dealing with the urban problem," Gibson said. As the mayor pointed out the cities of the Northeast are in the worst shape. They have lost jobs and industries to other areas. As a result their tax base shriveled. "We don't expect to solve the problems in a hundred days or a thousand days. We didn't get into the predicament we are in in a thousand days. What we have to do - and what we will urge on Gov. Carter - is to establish the problem of the cities as a priority. This has never been done. The problem is gigantic, but that is the history of the country. We have been able to deal with gigantic problems before and we can now."

## Panthers sue

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ney General John Mitchell, Robert Mardian, a former assistant attorney general and a Watergate figure; the current commissioner and former commissioners of the Internal Revenue Service, former Army Secretary Howard H. Callaway, Harold A. Aaron, assistant chief of staff for Army intelligence; Postmaster General Benjamin F. Bailar and Winton M. Blount, one of his predecessors; and Treasury Secretary William E. Simon and two of his officials. It's no secret that at one time the party, with Huey P. Newton and Eldridge as its most noted leaders, and local law enforcement officials were engaged in a private war, which resulted in a number of Panther deaths.

In a number of cases police were cited in deaths of Panther leaders, but not one was ever convicted of criminal charges. This includes the controversial killing of Fred Hampton in Chicago in 1969.

## Starch could be hazardous to your health, black M.D. warns

NEW YORK--(NBNS)-- A prominent New York black physician is seeking legal action to prevent the sale of laundry starch in black communities across the country, reports the New York Amsterdam News. Dr. Gerald Deas of Jamaica General Hospital, in Queens, Long Island, says the product which is consumed annually by over two million blacks, mostly pregnant women and children, causes "iron deficiency anemia," the paper said. Dr. Deas said that he also plans to ask the Federal Drug and Food Administration to order that all laundry starch containers be labeled "dangerous to your health if consumed." According to the article, Dr. Deas said the association of laundry starch ingestion with iron deficiency anemia has been well documented. "In a recent analysis of pregnant black women with no other disorder except anemia," Dr. Deas said, "there appeared to be a direct relation between the level of hemoglobin and the amount of laundry starch consumed per day." Dr. Deas attributed the origin of laundry starch eating to various psychological, nutritional, medicinal, and cultural influences.

## Study urges

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employment and job training programs for unskilled and hard to place workers. The chairman, Dr. Robert A. Aldrich of the University of Colorado Medical Center, said the panel did not attempt to estimate the cost of its proposals nor to suggest how they should be implemented. But he said the panel shared a "tempered optimism" that the proposed new national policy, portions of which were first raised in public 30 years ago, will be enacted. The committee said 20 million children in the United States or one out of every three, do not receive adequate health care and 6.1 million under the age of 6 years may suffer from inadequate care and attention because their parents are poor or absent from the home. "We cannot bring them back," Rev. Shields said of the children in closing, "one day, we must go to meet them." A ray of sunshine, and a ray of hope—that's all it takes for a brighter Christmas.

## Geneva talks

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power during an interim government. Rhodesia was a British colony but Smith unilaterally declared its independence in 1965. London has said that move was illegal. Kissinger and Crosland reportedly have suggested a compromise that would have Britain provide a chief of state and a minister of defense and justice during the transition. They said Britain also might provide a military peacekeeping force from other British Commonwealth countries. These proposals presumably will be discussed by Richard during his African tour.

## Island's Prime

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Labor Party 15 and independents 2. There was one vacancy. Manley told a news conference the JLP started a campaign two years ago "to smear the government as Communist." But he added: "There is absolutely no danger whatsoever, there is absolutely no possibility whatsoever of Jamaica becoming a communist country. It's not a part of the stream of our history."

## UN admits

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Africa had been paid in American dollars and killed Angolans with Chinese weapons "made by the Chinese proletariat."

## HOLIDAY HAIR



A LOT of very together women have trouble creating a great party hair style. When the invitation says "party" or "formal" they think they have to tease their hair or wear a cascade of fake curls. GLAMOUR Magazine says keep party hair simple so you'll get compliments to your face instead of whispers behind your back. Model Beverly Johnson experiments with her hair for styles that can go right from hard-working days into hard-partying nights. [1] An elegant, no-care style where hair is all pulled back. [2] Exotic bangs pulled down straight. [3] Side parted and fluffed back. [4] Curled under all around for a soft, feminine look.

## Life expectancy today highest in history

A baby born last year can expect to live 72.4 years, the highest life expectancy rate ever recorded in the United States, the National Center for Health Statistics reported recently. For a boy that is 68.5 years and for a girl 76.4, the Center said. Life expectancy has been increasing during the last decade and last year topped age 72 for the first time, up from 71.9 years in 1974. Death rates in 1975 reached a new low, despite a flu epidemic, primarily because of continuing declines in three of the four leading causes of death: heart disease, stroke and related diseases, and auto accidents. The infant mortality rate also was the lowest ever recorded in this country. It has been dropping an average four percent a year during the last decade. However, cancer death rates increased 2.3 percent over 1974 and was the highest ever recorded, the Center said in its provisional vital statistics report for 1975. Final life and death statistics for 1975 should be published by the end of this year. The greatest increases in cancer deaths were for lung and other respiratory cancers and for cancers of the digestive organs and peritoneum (the serous membrane lining the abdominal walls), the latter category accounting for the largest proportion of cancer deaths. Cancer remains the second leading national killer, with an estimated 1975 death rate of 174.4 per 100,000 population compared with 170.5 for 1974. The estimated 1975 death rates for heart disease, still the top killer, was down 2.9 percent from 1974 even though it continued to cause more than one-third of all the 1,910,000 deaths re-recorded. At every age the heart

**MARGARET O. PINNER**  
The remains of Mrs. Margaret O. Pinner, 64, were shipped to Clarksville, Tenn., for services December 11 at Foston Funeral Home. Mrs. Pinner, 1591 Barrington, died December 8 at Wishard Memorial Hospital.

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**Birth Report**

COMMUNITY HOSPITAL: Boy - Donald and Gloria Tinsley.

IUMC: Boy - James and Wanda Edmondson. Girl - Steven and Jeannie Adair.

METHODIST Hospital: Boys - Roy and Jessie Ford, Mathew and Alma Hampton, Charles and Emma Sanders, Michael and Ella Smiley, Charles and Juanita Trabe, Clarence and Caroline Wells, James and Claudette Cox, Lee and Sandra Moore. Girls - Curtis and Bobbie Adams, Ronald and Joyce Johnson, Robert and Donna Tanner, Duane and Doris Wilcoxson, Kenneth and Barbara Johnson, Lloyd and Eva Majors.

ST. VINCENT HOSPITAL: Boys - Tillis and Freda Breland, Clarence and Sharon Green.

WISHARD MEMORIAL HOSPITAL: Boys: Charles and Cassandra Adams, Mark and Diana Allen. Girls: Robert and Pamela Gude, Joe and Brenda Burrus, Richard and Arlene Harris, Tommy and Jaunice Jackson, Seewell and Myrtle Radford.

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## Evansville News

By CLEONA SCOTT

The crafts room was honored the past week by Mrs. Walters of the Helen Taylor Best Crafts Room in the Lincoln Gardens Community Center. Mrs. Best was a dear person and everybody loved her and she was a very talented woman, remarked Mrs. Irene Walters of the Helen Best Crafts Room, as it is now called.

Mrs. Best was a volunteer instructor at the Lincoln Gardens Center for 16 years. On April 1, 1976, she suffered a fatal heart attack while performing her duties. In memory of her work, a ceramics program is being established. The Evansville Housing Authority recently passed a resolution establishing the Helen Taylor Best Memorial Trust Fund Committee. The committee has been holding monthly meetings and is presently discussing fund raising possibilities for this crafts room.

Mrs. Walters is the present instructor in the ceramics program there. A former student of Mrs. Best, she was trained to follow in Mrs. Best's footsteps. She has no formal training in ceramics, only what was passed on to her. Mrs. Best, without monetary compensation, provided her services and money to training residents in the community in ceramics. The committee is trying to obtain travel money for her trips to Henderson, to purchase the greenware and other supplies she must buy for the class. The class has received about 15 new students this season. The committee is accepting donations for the trust fund. Members of the committee will accept all donations.

On Saturday, January 15, Black Women of the Year Task Force workers, in conjunction with the Police Recreation Program is staging their annual awards banquet. The vent will

be held at 6:30 p.m. in the Community Center, 100 E. Walnut.

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The Rev. Walter Rodgers Brown and his wife, Johnnie Ruth, was honored by members of New Hope Baptist Church the past Friday at the Executive Inn.

Rev. Brown last year was honored by the Indiana National Association for the Advancement of Colored People as the outstanding minister in Indiana. He is a member of the Human Relations Commission, is first vice-president of the General Baptist State Convention of Indiana, Inc., and is chairman of the board of the Opportunities Industrialization Center of Evansville.

On Sunday, Dec. 12th, the anniversary climaxed in an all-day service. Rev. Floyd of Owensboro, Ky., his church and congregation were the honored guest and Rev. Floyd delivered the anniversary sermon.

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Ebenezer Baptist Church, 518 S. Linwood, celebrated its 24th anniversary the past Sunday. Rev. Owens and his congregation officiated. Rev. Owens, pastor of New Bethel Baptist Church, preached an inspiring sermon and the church was filled to capacity.

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Mrs. Barbara Outlaw, 44, formerly of Evansville, died the past Wednesday at St. Joseph Hospital in Milwaukee, Wis., after a brief illness. Mrs. Outlaw was a graduate of the old Lincoln High School and the University of Evansville.

Survivors include her husband, John; two daughters, Marcia and Michelle, both of Milwaukee; two sons, John Jr. and Jay, both of Milwaukee; a sister, Mrs. Alma Washington of Evansville; and three brothers, Henry, Vernon, and Tyrone, all of Evansville.

Services were held in Milwaukee.

## J.B. Weatherspoon named research director at Peter Eckrich & Sons



DR. J. B. WEATHERSPOON

The appointment of Dr. J. B. Weatherspoon as director of research and product development for Peter Eckrich and Sons, Inc., has been announced by the Fort Wayne, Indiana-based meat specialty company.

Weatherspoon replaces Dr. Roy Tjepkema who was recently appointed director and general manager of the research center and quality control department of Beatrice Foods Co., Eckrich's parent organization.

A native of Cairo, Georgia, Weatherspoon earned a bachelor's degree from Fort Valley State College, Georgia; master's degree from Kansas State University; and doctorate from Michigan State University.

For five years, beginning in 1961, Weatherspoon was employed by the government of West Nigeria where he assisted in the establishment of a modern meat packing plant and was engaged in livestock and poultry research with particular attention to developing procedures of breeding for economic purposes. When he left in 1966, Nigeria had 40 private ranches and four government ranches geared for economic breeding.

Weatherspoon came to Eckrich in 1970 as a meat technologist. In 1973, he was named senior food technologist and later became general manager of operations in the company's Food Service Division. In March of this year, he returned to the corporate research and development department as manager of product development.

Previously, he was associated with Consolidated Dress Beef Co. in Philadelphia, was instructor of animal science at Fort Valley State College and a meat technologist for both Kansas State and Michigan State universities.

Eckrich processes and distributes some 150 luncheon meat and sausage products throughout the Midwest and in major metropolitan markets from Baltimore to Phoenix. Plants are located at Fort Wayne, Indiana; Kalamazoo and Quincy, Michigan; Fremont, Ohio, and Chicago.



CITED BY JEWISH CONGRESS: Wilbert A. Tatum (left), executive director of New York Mayor Abe Beame's (center) and fellow award winner Richard J. Schwartz (right).

the American Jewish Congress Human Rights Award from Mayor Beame (center) and fellow award winner Richard J. Schwartz (right).

## Jewish group pays tribute to black leader; Tatum calls for new black-Jewish coalition

NEW YORK--

Black and Jewish leaders from every walk of life joined this week in paying tribute to Wilbert A. Tatum, executive director of the Mayor's Mid-

town Action Office in New York.

Tatum, who is also vice-chairman of the board of the Inner City Broadcasting Corporation, received a citation "for outstanding public service to the city and quality of life of all its citizens."

In accepting the award, Tatum urged a "new human rights movement that will take all of us into the 21st century." He said the movement should be led by "a genuine coalition of the black and Jewish communities, which represents the true balance of power in this country."

"All of us working together," Tatum declared, "the American Jewish Congress, the black organizations, supporters of the state of Israel, union people -- we can turn the face of this nation around."

Among those present at the

dinner were Bayard Rustin, former Cleveland Mayor Carl Stokes (who served as master of ceremonies) and many other prominent black political and labor leaders.

A major role at the dinner was played by David Dinkins, Clerk of the City of New York and chairman of the council of Black Elected Democrats of New York State, who presented a second American Jewish Congress Human Rights Award to Richard J. Schwartz, president of Jonathan Logan, Inc., a major manufacturer of men's and women's apparel.

A feature of the evening was a showing of 1977 fashions presented by the Studio Group of the Dance Theatre of Harlem and titled, "Choreostyles -- Fashions in Dance." Walter Raines, choreographer, received an ovation from the 500 guests when the presentation concluded.

## Questions & answers about food stamps

Editor's Note: As a service to Indiana residents, the Indiana Nutrition Campaign will periodically publish answers to those questions most frequently asked of its food stamp hotline. For more information, call the hotline toll-free at 1-800-382-9788 statewide or 634-3500 in the Indianapolis area.)

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Q: How can I apply for food stamps?

A: By law, you have the right to apply for food stamps immediately. This means the food stamp office must give you or send you an application form when you request it. And they must accept your application as soon as you submit it. The application does not have to be completed, but it must be signed and dated, with a legible name and address.

Q: How soon will I get food stamps if I am eligible?

A: Once you have submitted an application, the food stamp office must interview you and determine whether or not you are eligible within thirty days. If you are eligible, you will be given or sent a card which allows you to purchase food stamps each month at a discount.

Many times it takes less than thirty days to be certified for food stamps, and your chances of prompt action are improved if you know which documents to bring with you when you go to the food stamp office. The Nutrition Campaign's hotline can tell you where and how to apply.

Q: How much federal money is available for food stamp households in Indiana?

A: By law, all households which meet the eligibility test are entitled to food stamps. Currently, food stamp benefits going to Indiana families total \$5.4 million per month, an average of 125 per person.

Additionally, there are upwards of 510,000 Indiana residents who could qualify for food stamps but do not receive them. If they enter the program, a greater share of federal food stamp dollars will come to Indiana, strengthening our state's economy.

While the food stamp program is open to all who meet its eligibility test, participation in the program is not "out of control" as once was thought. In fact, the number of people receiving food stamps has declined by two million in the last year and a half.



PROMOTED: James Parker of Flint, Mich., has been promoted to assistant superintendent of the Buick Engine Plant. Parker, 34, is a native of Eudora, Arkansas. He was first employed by Buick in 1964 and promoted in 1968 to foreman. Six years later he was promoted to general foreman.

## WHITE TEACHERS REJECT MERGER WITH BLACKS

BATON ROUGE, La.-(NBNS)-- An all white Louisiana teachers organization voted down a proposed merger with its all-black counterpart in a move described by officials as economic rather than racial. Louisiana remains the only state with segregated teacher associations.

Opponents said that a merger between the 28,000 white Louisiana Teachers Association and the 11,000 Black Louisiana Education Association, would have resulted in a \$35-a-year rise in dues. Proponents said it would have created a unified political front to push for pay raises and better working conditions.

## DIGGS SUPPORTS CUBAN TROOPS IN ANGOLA

MASERU, Lesotho--(NBNS)-- Congressman Charles C. Diggs Jr. (D-Mich) said here that he supported the presence of Cuban troops in Angola. "They are training the indigenous armed forces, working in hospitals and doing many other things," the Black congressman said at the closing session of the African-American Institute.

## Tuning in on ANDERSON

By REV. RAY WRIGHT

Joining the staff of Johnson Real Estate, 1226 Madison here in Anderson, is Harold W. Miller, presently assigned as a full-time salesman.

Miller retired in 1973 as Civil Service Examiner after 37 years with the U.S. Postal Service. He is a past worshipful master of Peerless Lodge No. 32, F.&A.M., and a member of the advisory board of the Anderson Salvation Army, as well as the Anderson Area Vocational and Technical School.

He is a member of the Anderson Noon Kiwanis Club, and assistant secretary of Madison County Chapter No. 36 of the National Association of Retired Federal Employees. He is also a member of Second Baptist Church.

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For the past three years, Ms. Mamie Thompson's students at Hazelwood School have sung Christmas carols at Anderson nursing homes. The pupils caroled Friday at Rolling Hills, Gobel, Turtle Creek, New Haven, and the Madison County Home. Besides singing, the youths also passed out fruit. They have received many letters and telephone calls asking them to visit again next year.

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"Equal Opportunity Day" was officially observed in Anderson and many other community leaders and Urban League members met to commemorate the 113th anniversary of Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.

John Williams, Madison County Urban League associate director, presented Don Lytle, personnel director of Ex-Cell-O Corp., Elwood, with the league's first Equal Opportunity Award. The company, which had no blacks employed in '75, now has 34.

Jesse Johnson, local league president, told a luncheon audience that much progress was made in equal employment opportunities during the late '60s and early '70s. But he said there is a feeling now among many persons that the problem is solved, and so much of the impetus for improvement is gone. He said some companies are only doing what is required to meet the law and are not really attempting to hire minority members.

## Supreme Court overturns Texas busing decision

WASHINGTON--

In a single sentence ruling, the U.S. Supreme Court last week reversed a lower court ruling which involved requiring community-wide busing of students to achieve racial balance in the Austin, Tex., public schools. The decision was hailed by anti-busing forces as a sign that the high court is ready to strictly limit the power of federal judges to order massive busing programs.

On a vote of 7 to 2, the Justices overturned a decision by the 5th U.S. Court of Appeals and directed it to re-examine the requirement made in the Austin situation. The lower court was asked to reconsider the case in the light of a June 7 ruling that all forms of racial discrimination are not automatically unconstitutional.

According to that previous ruling the high court said the constitution is violated only when discrimination results from intentional policies on the

part of government officials. It indicated that policies which may cause one race to suffer more than another are not, by themselves, violations of the Constitution.

The argument made in the Austin case was that the lower court's requirement of busing up to 40 percent of the city's school children was predicated on a pattern of neighborhood segregation which school officials did not cause and could not have prevented. The U.S. Justice Department advised the Supreme Court to return the case to the Appeals Court, asking it to determine whether a "neighborhood school" concept is, in itself, unconstitutional.

Though the official position of the Supreme Court was not expanded, a separate opinion questioned whether the lower court had assumed too much about the duty of the Austin School Board to arrange its schools so as to break up neighborhood segregation patterns. The opinion was drafted by Justice Lewis F. Powell Jr., and was supported by Chief Justice Warren Burger and Justice William H. Rehnquist.

In his opinion, Powell stated that the "principal cause of racial and ethnic imbalance in urban public schools across the country North and South is the imbalance in residential patterns." Such residential patterns, he said, "are typically beyond the control of school authorities."

According to Powell, large-scale busing should only be required where it could be provided that the integration which would result from the busing would show that the school district had fulfilled its constitutional duties. According to that standard, Powell said, court-rulings "would rarely result in the widespread busing of elementary-age children."

In what could be a landmark decision related to desegregation of public schools, the only dissenters on the supreme Court were Justices William A. Brennan Jr. and Thurgood Marshall.

## Our servicemen-- where are they?



L/Cpl EUGENE STRADER

JR.

L/Cpl Eugene Strader Jr., stationed at Okinawa, is serving with the 3rd Marine Division Band. A graduate of Crispus Attucks High School, he has been with the Marines since August of last year.

L/Cpl. Strader was drum major of Attucks' marching band and played with a musical combo before enlisting. Write him c/o 3rd Marine Division Band, 3rd Marine Division, San Francisco, Calif., 96602.

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Marine Pfc. Robert A. Douglas, 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert E. Douglas, 3740 N. Grant, has completed recruit training at the Marine Corps Recruit Depot, San Diego.

A 1976 graduate of Arlington High School, he joined the Marine Corps in July 1976.

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Marine Pfc. William Goodall, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Goodall, 2419 N. Park, recently returned from participation in the maritime portion of the major NATO exercises "Autumn Forge '76". He has been in the Marine Corps since November 1973.

Currently, he is serving as a member of Regimental landing Team-8, homebased at Camp Lejeune, N.C.

Another local serviceman to participate in the exercises was Navy Electrician's Mate Fireman Arnold R. Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Harrison, 3336 N. Temple. He is serving as a crewmember aboard the amphibious transport dock USS Austin, homeported in Norfolk, Va. The 1975 Arsenal Technical



Pfc. ROBERT A. DOUGLAS

High School graduate joined the Navy in May 1975.

"Autumn Forge" is the title of the annual training exercises conducted jointly by the nine members of the NATO Alliance. Fleet actions this year involved operations in the North Atlantic Ocean, the English Channel and the Baltic Sea and included a major amphibious landing in Norway.

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Marine Lance Corporal Stuart W. Evans, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Evans, Koko, has been promoted to his present rank while serving with Force Troops, Twenty-Nine Palms, Calif. He attended Indiana University and joined the Marine Corps in January.

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Navy Seaman Recruit Darrell B. Jones, son of Mrs. Zelda Jones, has completed recruit training at the Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, Ill. A 1976 graduate of John Marshall High School, he joined the Navy in August.

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Navy Ship's Serviceman Second Class Mitchell Blane, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rich Blane, 1201 N. Tremont, is a crewmember aboard the amphibious command ship USS Mount Whitney, homeported at Norfolk. He, too, recently completed participation in the "Autumn Forge" exercises.

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# Editorials and Opinions

"Power concedes nothing without a demand — it never did and it never will. Find out just what people will submit to, and you've found out the exact amount of injustice and wrong which will be imposed upon

them. This will continue until they resist, either with words or blows or both. The limits of tyrants are prescribed by the endurance of those whom they oppress."

— Frederick Douglass

## Skills training for paid inmates

Indiana correctional officials could go a long way toward rehabilitating prisoners by following plans developed in Connecticut, Illinois and Minnesota. With \$2 million shelled out by The Law Enforcement Assistance Administration, futuristic authorities in the three states intend to train inmates in servicable vocations while paying them the standard minimum wage.

Common goal is to make convicts potential creditable members of the labor force by giving them skills through practical training and experience in an atmosphere as close to normal as possible. The fringe benefits for society promise to be invaluable. Not only is there a predicted substantial decrease in the recidivism rate, but also a corps of sharpened men ready to step into positions with big business without extensive OJT.

It's for sure Indiana and officials at Michigan City could not lose on such an endeavor. For starters, programs would be federally financed instead of stretching the state budget. More important, statistics tend to show that although our state prison's antiquated license plate production might mean savings in terms of dollars, it does absolutely nothing in preparing mostly unskilled men for the outside's grueling industrial world.

Modernization, including new machines and leasing by outside firms, will be included in programs along with profit goals and the average eight-hour work day. This is expected to remedy to some degree the dehumanizing effect of extended prison life.

With law enforcers, judges and people in general agreeing prisons "ain't getting the job done," it would behoove Indiana to check out the feasibility of such a pioneering program. For too long we've sat back and watched repeat offenders return to prison simply because they couldn't fit into a decent job.

## Carter reneging on job promises

While campaigning, Jimmy Carter first set a target of cutting the unemployment rate 1.5 percentage points in one year. That would leave most of the jobless still out of work.

Then Bert Lance, the Atlanta banker Carter appointed to head the Office of Management and Budget, declared, "I rather doubt...we're going to be able to reduce unemployment by 1.5 percent next year."

The economic situation is worsening steadily for workers. Layoffs rose in October, while new hiring declined in manufacturing industries. The official unemployment rate in November was 8.1 percent, the highest in a year. For blacks the November unemployment rate was 13.6 percent and for teenagers, 19 percent.

This means that 7.5 million people who actively looked for jobs could not find them. People so discouraged that they have given up looking for jobs are not even counted.

Carter's job promise was one of the main things that made him so attractive to black voters, the segment of the population providing his winning margin. Yet it's becoming clear it might have been more rhetoric than intention, especially in light of Lance's remark.

Blacks can ill afford an increased unemployment rate which is tantamount to them being driven out of the work force. They are suffering enough and the President-elect's soothing words on the situation sounded good until Lance sounded off like administrators of the past.

Government agencies like the Federal Reserve Board do intervene in the economy in an attempt to manipulate interest rates and tax structures. But these decisions are made by unelected bureaucrats whose policies do not change from one administration to the next. William McChestney Martin, the previous Federal Reserve chairman, served 18 years under every president from Truman to Nixon. Arthur Burns, the present one, was appointed by Nixon and is being kept on by Carter.

The same old policies as far as employment is concerned would be catastrophic in minority communities. We hope Carter didn't err in his Lance appointment and hasn't forgotten campaign promises so soon.

## Blacks, Jews, and Carter's election

A study of ethnic voting patterns in the recent Presidential election shows that blacks and Jews combined their support to provide President-elect Jimmy Carter his edge at the polls.

According to the Center for Joint Political Studies, a Washington-based organization that follows black voting patterns, 93 percent of the nation's black voters went to Carter. NBC News reported that 74 percent of the Jewish vote went to Gov. Carter. In New York State—four out of five Jewish voters joined black citizens in putting Carter over the top.

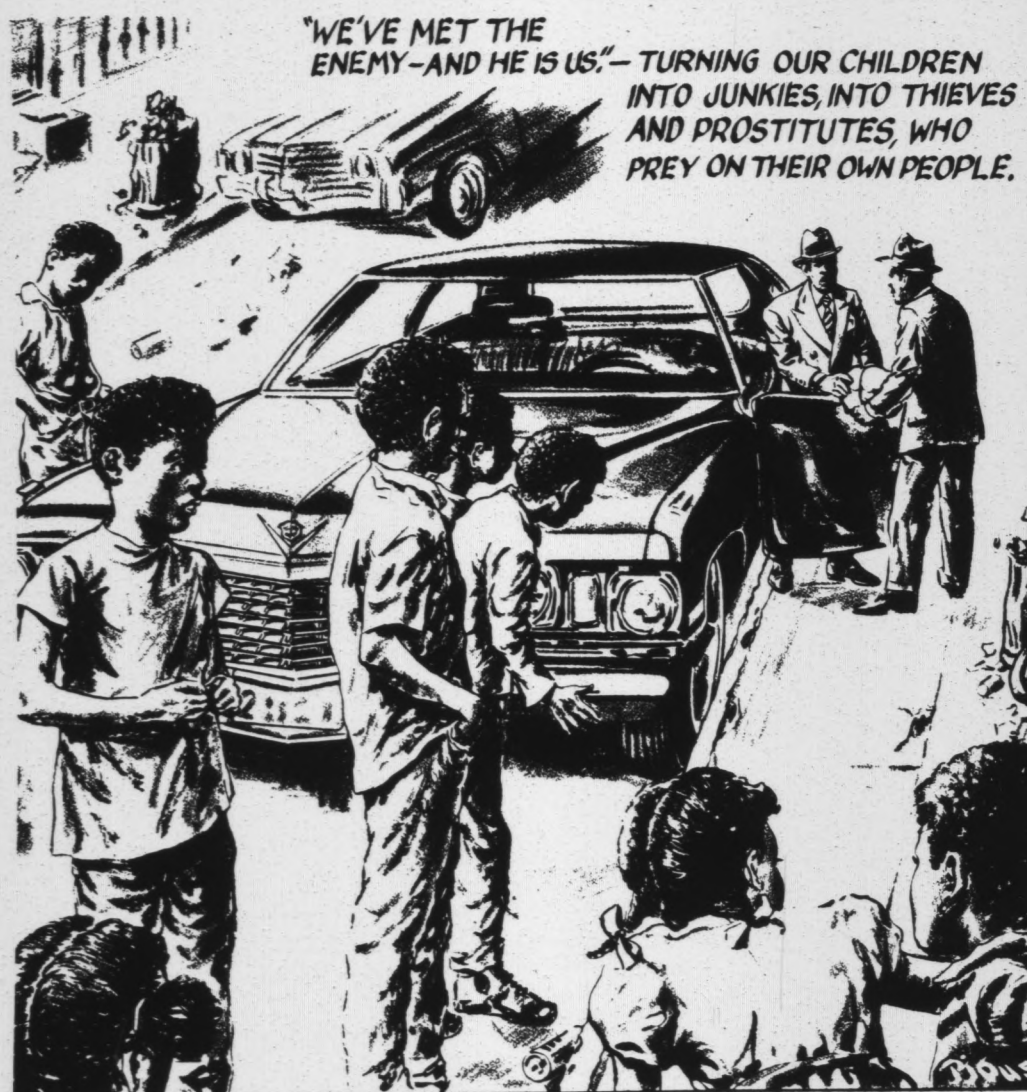
The 1976 Presidential vote appears to signal a return to the long tradition of common struggle by blacks and Jews for civil rights and progressive government. It also serves to strengthen the belief that the new Carter administration will significantly include representatives of racial and religious minority groups in government positions.

The President-elect has already indicated an attitude toward our country's urban problems (including black joblessness, indecent housing and other social ills) that is considerably more sympathetic than Gerald Ford's. The commitment of blacks and Jews to bringing about a change in government policy on these issues contributed importantly to the Carter victory.

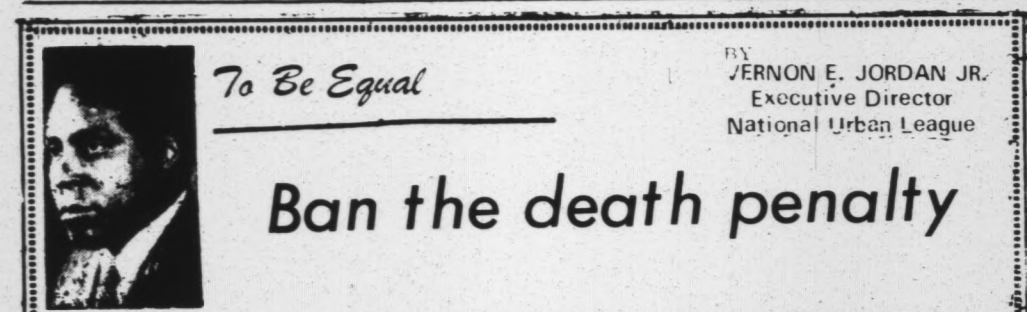
No politician can afford to ignore the source of his support, and while no strings are attached to deeply felt beliefs and confidence, the new Carter regime will doubtless reflect the joint contribution made by Blacks and Jews.

That is a result that would be eagerly anticipated by those who played such a crucial part in the Carter victory. It is not only a conclusion but also a new beginning, one that would mark the renewal of that great black-Jewish coalition of concern that helped the last Democratic President—Lyndon Johnson—enact the great civil rights legislation of a dozen years ago...and that helped make the 1976 Democratic victory possible through the Voting Rights Act.

If the "re-born" Jimmy Carter can give new life to that coalition, it will surely be not the least of the achievements that so many black and Jewish voters are looking forward to beginning next January 20th.



A FACTOR IN THE INCREASE OF "BLACK ON BLACK" CRIME.....



Strange isn't it, that the approach of the Christmas season should be the setting for a revived national debate on the death penalty?

Last July the Supreme court issued a set of rulings that tried to make legal and constitutional sense of state executions. Some kinds of death sentences were approved, others barred. Everyone knew more cases would follow, and that the Court's refusal to ban the death penalty was an unconstitutionally cruel and unusual punishment would lead to confusion and unfairness.

That has come about, and the Court is becoming even more deeply entangled in the results of its July decisions. Within a period of days it overthrew the death penalty where citizens opposed to the penalty were barred from juries in capital cases; issued stays of execution in some nationally publicized cases, and moved to reconsider some issues it thought it settled back in July.

Meanwhile the Death Row population grows — over 500 people have been sentenced to death. Lurking behind the sensational cases of Gary Gilmore and Robert White is the real threat of mass executions.

The Gilmore case is an example of what we are in for if the death penalty is not done away with once and for all. Convicted of particularly brutal murders, Gilmore says he committed the crimes and wants to be executed. This made him a hero overnight with sensational stories about him appearing in all the media.

Without going into all the tawdry details about the Gilmore case, there are two aspects of special interest to the question of the rightness of the death penalty. One is whether the state should set aside its moral scruples by executing one of its citizens, even if he requests it.

Gilmore's wishes are irrelevant to state action. The nature of his crimes justifies removal from society through incarceration. But the state has no responsibility to fulfill the death wish of a citizen.

A second aspect concerns the death penalty as a deterrent. One of the big guns in the pro-death penalty arsenal of arguments is that the prospect of execution will deter potential murderers.

But in fact it seems as if it acts as an incentive for suicidal personalities consumed with violent impulses. The history of crime is full of instances where people murdered in order to be executed. The death penalty is no deterrent to the Gilmores of this world.

The very finality of the death sentence marks it as exceptionally cruel. Last month a

young Connecticut man previously convicted of murdering his mother was freed because new evidence cleared him of guilt. Peter Reilly is now free because many prominent people went to bat for him, hired lawyers and detectives and brought public pressure to reopen his case.

But what if Peter Reilly had been black, poor, friendless; what if his case didn't attract media attention, what if he had been sentenced to death under one of those state laws the Supreme court approved?

The possibility is very strong that an innocent person would be murdered by the state, that a life would have been snuffed out not by fate or illness or chance, but by the premeditated action of the government. That's not something we can square with the image of the society we would like to become.

A public that was once strongly against the death penalty is now, according to

public opinion polls, strongly for it. Oddly, that change in opinion, fostered by the politically-motivated law and order campaign, comes at a time when the homicide rate is showing signs of slowing. The excesses of the publicity surrounding the Gilmore and White cases will surely lead to public revulsion and to a swing against the death penalty, especially if there is a round of executions in the coming months.

Perhaps those suggestions about televising executions are right — let people see the actuality of what a state-sanctioned killing is like and the likelihood is that the public will be overwhelmingly against the death penalty.

But a wiser course is for the Supreme Court to reconsider its muddled decisions on the subject and to finally ban the death penalty as a cruel and unusual punishment that is unconstitutional and unfit for a Twentieth Century democracy.



## Cut your income taxes

It's been sometime since San Franciscans have seen the like of "gold tooth Annie" slinked in a dark doorway singing five ways for a dollar to passing sailors. But Uncle Sam has provided retirement pension plans for both business people and workers who make it to the golden age.

The new Tax Reform Act was signed into law on October 4, 1976, with some sexy effects on qualified retirement plans. Taking advantage of these opportunities is a must unless you expect to live on the meager amount of social security money paid to former household providers and dependents.

People can protect their payroll-less years by establishing a retirement plan if they do not already belong to an Internal Revenue Service approved plan. In one case they can even start an additional retirement plan.

In addition to providing funds for the future, current income taxes are cut by any money put into a retirement plan account. The retirement plan account can be in any one of three forms, individual retirement account (IRA), self-employed KEOGH plan or a Corporate retirement plan. A banker, stockbroker or insurance broker will be able to provide the sign up sheets for their respective areas of sophistication.

The plans are available no matter which area holds your interest as a method for providing future returns on your tax deductible contributions. Naturally,

the banker or savings and loan association will recite the praises of their savings accounts security and guaranteed interest income.

Income cannot be guaranteed by any stock investment program, however, many surveys have shown varying averages of return on stock market paper profits over a period of years, most center around a return of 9 percent not counting dividend returns. Dividends are normally the cash payment received by shareholders in addition to any capital appreciation or increase in stock prices.

The life insurance companies will come to you with annuities. The monthly fixed payment figures in the future is one of the chief attractions to this vehicle for retirement.

An individual can actually set up a retirement plan even if he has an approved plan with his regular employer. For instance you might have a retirement account for a part-time business on the side which makes you eligible for a KEOGH plan.

Further, up to \$750 can be contributed tax deductible despite the fact that the amount exceeds the normal contribution limitations of your total earnings. KEOGH plans are limited to \$7,500 or 15 percent of compensation.

However, effective for tax years ending December 31, 1976, the minimum deductible contribution a self-employed individual can make to his own KEOGH account is \$750 up to 100 percent of net earned income. Hence, even if earnings are \$1,000 this year for a part-time



Dear Andrew: By Robert DeFrantz

## Getting an uneasy feeling about Carter

Dear Andrew:

Did you ever get an uneasy, queasy feeling? More and more I'm getting one. Our new President is calling all those press conferences and making all those white, male appointments. Everytime I ask someone who is even faintly connected to the new administration, all they say is "wait and see, everything is going to be alright." My problem is, my paranoia is rising. I would hate to see the Afro-American appointments come last—almost like an afterthought. I know you remember that old but true adage, about "last hired, first fired." I sure would hate to be wrong again. One of the brothers keeps talking about "keep the faith." I will until January 20, 1977, and then we will really see.

Dr. Frank P. Lloyd made a statement to me once concerning medical research, it would take us over 20 years just to catch up with what we know now.

Andrew, what I am suggesting is that we have enough laws on the books now, if we would only enforce them, the life styles of all our Afro-American citizens would improve.

What I'm really suggesting Andrew is, I want to see some Afro-Americans in the cabinet and everywhere else in the government. But, I want a firm commitment that the new administration will enforce the laws already on the books. Also Andrew, I want it to go beyond just enforcing, I want to see affirmative commitments by the administrative heads to do what has to be done with aggressive determination. I don't want administration foot dragging.

So often we get bogged down by the bureaucracy talking about administrative rules and regulations that nothing ever gets done.

My wife has an article entitled "27 ways not to get things done." And one of them is to interpret rules and regulations so nothing can really happen.

I'm almost at the point of suggesting that no laws be passed this next year. That Congress spend all its time overseeing and evaluating the laws, agencies, commissions that we already have in existence. The only question they

need to ask is "what a particular agency, commission or so forth is doing for the people?"

Then sit back and let those administrators go through all sorts of gyrations explaining. And then the second question should be "what citizen participation—real meaningful participation—takes place in the administration of the law, the agency or commission?"

Andrew, that would really blow their minds, if they really had to explain how they are benefiting citizens and how citizens are making input into the goings on in their departments. The one thing most legislators, politicians, administrators and agency heads don't want is people really telling "them" what ought to be going on.

Wouldn't it be a great year if all the above would just sit back and listen to the people? What's that you say? Then nothing would happen. My answer would be, is there anything really happening now for Afro-Americans, or the economically deprived?

Sincerely yours,  
Robert DeFrantz

## Ms. Ervin complains of harrassment at Chevrolet Division of GM in city

To Whom It May Concern:

My name is Clara Mae Ervin. I am 53 years of age, and I have spent four years as an employee at Chevrolet Division of General Motors, located on West White River Parkway. At this time, I'm sure you can tell I have limited education.

But God has blessed me with common sense and that is more than I can say for a large part of management at Chevy. They are striving to push us, the workers, back into slavery. You will probably read this and say to yourself, this is another Charlie Brown story, but believe me, it is no laughing matter!

Every kind of discrimination in the book is practiced here. You may ask the question, where is the union? It is here, but the people don't know they are the union and they will brown nose the foremen to stay in good with him; not knowig some where down the road they will face same kind of hardship they are helping stack up on the other co-workers.

I will get to the point. There are those that I have to work with that will lie and twist everything to discredit me, and they get the company's blessings. You see, I do my work, but I don't jump through flaming hoops just to keep you happy. That is not in the contract. They were promised a fair day's work for a day's pay.

So when you tell me to do 8 hours work in six hours, I'm not so dumb as to think you are doing me a favor. You are setting me up to pile more and more work on me.

Now, some employees, in fact most of them, fall into the trap and hoover when they tighten the noose around their necks. I don't have any pot to smoke, no whiskey to drink, no gambling to do, so all I can say to that is it is not a social club and I don't bother these two particular co-workers.

Jessie "Cobra" Zink and I got off to a bad start on the second shift when he tried to throw his weight around and do me out of P.A. (time off with pay); the book says if you ask for this time three days in advance, you shall have it — not maybe, and he failed, so he has been at me every since.

I heard a joke on TV — the man said he had heard of heaven, but had never heard of hell, so he married his wife and she took him there. If you want to find hell on earth, come behind the doors of Chevrolet, behind that mask of Halloween, and see them for what they really are.

Let me, in as few words as possible tell you of the things I got from some people that saw this first hand. First, one of the outstanding ways of discrimination is demonstrated in color. Second, I want to say sex and if you are a black woman and don't have a brown nose, you really had better look out.

The strange thing is that I am not the only one that can see

it. A white fellow said to me that he felt that management was serious about not discriminating about people, but would you believe that when some blacks get into management, they go out of the way to kick you in the rear to show what a good "Uncle Tom" they can be (to name a few, Jessie "Cobra," Charlie Bell, Ray? — they don't recognize the principle as applied to discrimination and prejudice in management. I am reminded of the old adage — A chain is no stronger than its weakest link. Thus, the purpose of a union — or so I thought. There is also some new guy involved, and I regret that I cannot recall his name, however, the above have made the remark that a man wouldn't talk to him and he is the boss, he made it clear that he didn't like the man so the man didn't like him. I can see why he is not a smart person. None of the people know the first thing about getting along with people.

Getting back to the second shift, I'm quoting another worker that was working in Department 52 under Larry (?) who is white. The worker was black and Larry kept riding the man and then he found something to walk him out for two weeks. When the man returned, he started all over again, so the man took a piece of steel and broke Larry's jaw. I only regret that it wasn't his neck. You see he called the man a "nigger." Larry is still here but the black man lost his job.

There is also a white woman named Pat White who has such a thing about blacks that she's making it hard for every one. She has even been written up for assault and battery, yet nothing was ever done to her. Space will just not allow me to elaborate on all the unjust situations going on around Chevy.

I was told that a committeeman was walked out for representing a person in the cafeteria on company time. You are supposed to use company time to defend workers.

The day shift committeeman was thrown out of first aid by labor relations and a guard, so he told me... it seems that a man injured his leg on the job and they wouldn't treat him, so he went up there to get help for the man. This person had to wait and see his family doctor and he had to have surgery on his leg.

You will no doubt say this couldn't happen — I see the committeeman all the time. He

will back up my story. Of course, the company will try to deny it. I was denied a pill or to talk to the doctor. I told them of my fracture on my left leg when I was hired and everything went on fine and had for a long time, then they gave me the work of two men. I had to walk from one machine to another stacking parts. Then I started having trouble. I went to my bone specialist. He sent me to the doctor at work. The nurse wouldn't even give me a pill or anything, much less let me talk to the doctor. She said I could "quit my job."

I was under the impression the welfare rolls were too high now and rolled bodied people should be able to give one day's work, not two one day hours.

Would you believe blackmail was also practiced here one summer when they hired some people. You are on trial for ninety days so you get no union representation. A girl told me in the restroom her foreman was blackmailing her because she wouldn't go out with him. So you see they think the law is for someone else, not them.

The saying that freedom is free, it is not free. WE HAVE TO FIGHT FOR IT. Not always over in another country, it is here everyday — a war to win, and ALL IS FAIR IN LOVE AND WAR — AND THIS IS WAR.

My feelings about freedom is before I will become your slave, I will be buried in my grave and I will go home and be free.

The name of the game is to survive. I will use all my know-how to do just that. Time is running out. I'm up to my neck in needling and harassment. And I feel it is the company in back of it. They think they can ride me and chase me off the third shift, but I don't frighten easily.

My daddy said don't run — sand and fight until the last breath is out of your body, because you can never stop if you never start. I am only going to die once, and that could be with my boots on.

You may very well take this very lightly — who knows, but let me say this, I will defend my right to work in peace and not carry anyone on my back — management or co-workers. I am not down this road for the first time. I have rights as a person, and there are more ways to choke a cat than on bread and butter!

Ms. Clara Mae Ervin  
Indianapolis

## Henry Highland GARNET



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# SPORTS

Karate championships  
scheduled December 19

Dick Hedrick, 4th Degree Black Belt, has announced that Indianapolis Karate Championships will be held Sunday, December 19th, at 3.m. The tournament site is the Isshin-ryu School of Karate, 5216 N. College.

For pre-fight information call 257-5765.

## Charles 'Binkey' Brown college basketball scout

By KENNY CORNELL

Charles "Binkey" Brown, a basketball standout for many years in both high school and college, is presently scouting for the University of Arizona, North Idaho Junior college and

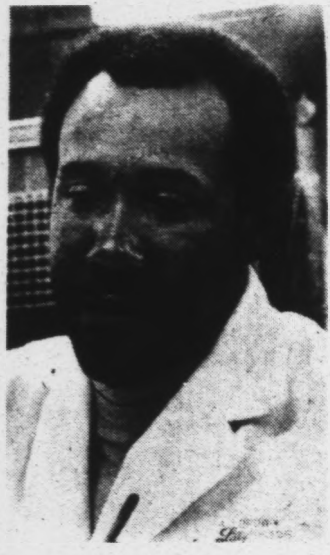
Colorado University. Brown attended Public School No. 42, where he started playing basketball at the age of 12. He then went on to Shortridge High School, from which he was graduated in

Attucks, Rany Wilkes of Chatard, and Joe Hart. Ward, Wilkes and Hart are currently having fantastic years at Northern Idaho. Ward and Hart are starting, and Wilkes is the sixth man.

Brown has been watching area players for Fred "Fox" Snowden since he was assistant coach at the University of Michigan. He is a personal friend and when he got the head coaching job at Arizona he wanted all the information forwarded to Arizona.

Brown has been scouting seven years and has advised many more players than those previously mentioned. He is currently employed at Eli Lilly and has been for 20 years. He works in the physiological research department as a senior research technician.

He is married and he and his wife, Jeanette, who is presently president of Citizens Forum, have two children, Michael, 18, and Chemane, 12.



CHARLES "BINKEY" BROWN

1954. Brown played under Coach Cleon Reynolds and made all-city in '54 and was nominated for the Indiana All-Star team the same year.

He was the backcourt ace of the Blue Devils from 1952 to 1954, sporting a 15.7 per game scoring mark. At 6-2, 185 pounds, Brown went on to play at Indiana Central, where he teamed up with players like Don Thomas, Bob Jewell, Bailey Robertson, and Bill Hampton.

Brown had an outstanding basketball career, playing on Lockefield championship teams three straight years. He played on the same team as did Oscar Robertson and won the championship in '55, '56 and '57. From '56 to '57 Brown played on teams that won every outdoor tourney in the state. Playing exhibitions in '56 and '57, his teams were the teams to beat because they never lost a single contest.

Among the players he has helped include Steve Willis of Cathedral, currently playing at Northern Idaho; Charlie Rose of Northwest, Northern Idaho; Howard Bowling of Marshall, Yavapai College; Sam Ward of

## Bowling News

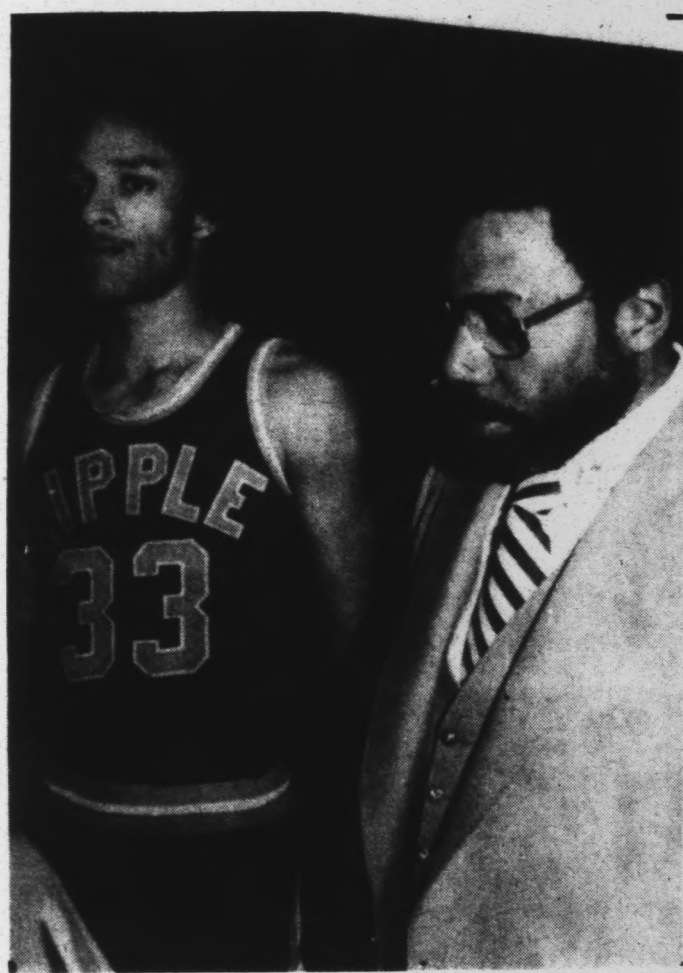
by Willa Murrell and Marcella Folsom

Hi all you hot shots! Here we are with another together week of fine scoring.

At Raceway Lanes in the Entertainers Club League on Friday night, high for the ladies was Frances Rivers, doing her thing with a dandy 635, followed by Marcella Folsom, 578; Phyllis Currin, 564; Florence Moore, 548; Lois Thomas, 532; Martha Benson and Elizabeth Stanfield, 524; Karen Clemmons, 517; Cathy Brooks, Ann Lyles, and Marcella Hughes, 516; Laura Jones, 511, and Frances Ridley, 502.

For the guys high was Charles Kinslow, 660; Harlis Davidson, 658; Cory Eller, 655; Ray Pettis, 646; Larry Donel and Charles Barker, 634; Othel Sharp, 627; Felton Ridley, 624; Dave Shimm, 622; Mike Wil-

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CITY'S LEADING SCORER AND COACH: Don Cox of Indianapolis Broad Ripple has scored 189 points to lead the Rockets to date with a 5-0 record. Cox has scored like this game by game: 32 points, 48, 43, 35, and 31 points. That gives him a 37.4 points per game average. Coach Bill Smith could be the best coach in the state this year because of his great knowledge of the game as well as getting the best out of his players.

[Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

## Kevin Edward Kimbrough has hopes of playing pro hockey



KEVIN EDWARD KIMBROUGH

Ice hockey anyone? It's been said that blacks don't care that much for the winter sport, but you can't prove that by young Kevin Edward Kimbrough. In fact, he has high hopes of becoming a professional hockey player.

A 13-year-old 8th grader at

School 43, young Kimbrough has played football and basketball during his elementary school days. He is a true lover of sports and has also played baseball at Ozark Ike Little League and took part in archery as well. However, his main sport is hockey, and he has played five years at the Ice Dome Coliseum, located in Carmel.

He is truly an outstanding athlete, one that you'll read about in the very near future. He resides with his mother, Mrs. S.B. Kimbrough, and two sisters, here in the city.

## Sports Shorts

INDIANAPOLIS TECH is still unbeaten in the first five games of the young basketball season. The Titans have a solid starting five with EDDIE HANNON, who is scoring at a

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LITTLE RETHA KAY CORNELL at 9 years old tumbles and cheers for the Broad Ripple varsity boys basketball team and man can she get into it! Retha is a 4th grade student at school 37. She has won awards in bowling, swimming, and has performed her ballet and gymnast acts at Clowes hall. Retha is a good student and the daughter of Joe and Pat Cornell of Indianapolis.

[Recorder photo by Marcell J. Williams]

## Sheila Malone is lone black cheerleader at John Marshall



SHEILA MALONE

Sheila Malone is a cheerleader for all varsity sports at John Marshall High School. She started her cheerleading career at the age of 11 while a

student at School 71. At 16, the junior at Marshall is an honor student and has lead cheers for sports on all levels.

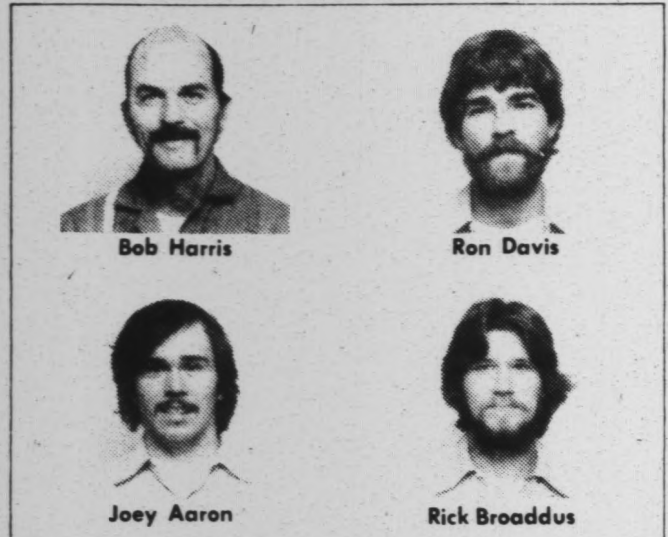
Sheila is very much involved with the educational process and helping people in the community. She resides at 3346 Whittier with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Meadows.

## People in Sports

LARRY BIRD scored 25 points, grabbed 11 rebounds and had three steals to lead Indiana State over Ball State by a score of 80-69 in a game played in Muncie last weekend. EUGENE PARKER was the leading scorer in Purdue's big basketball win over Louisville

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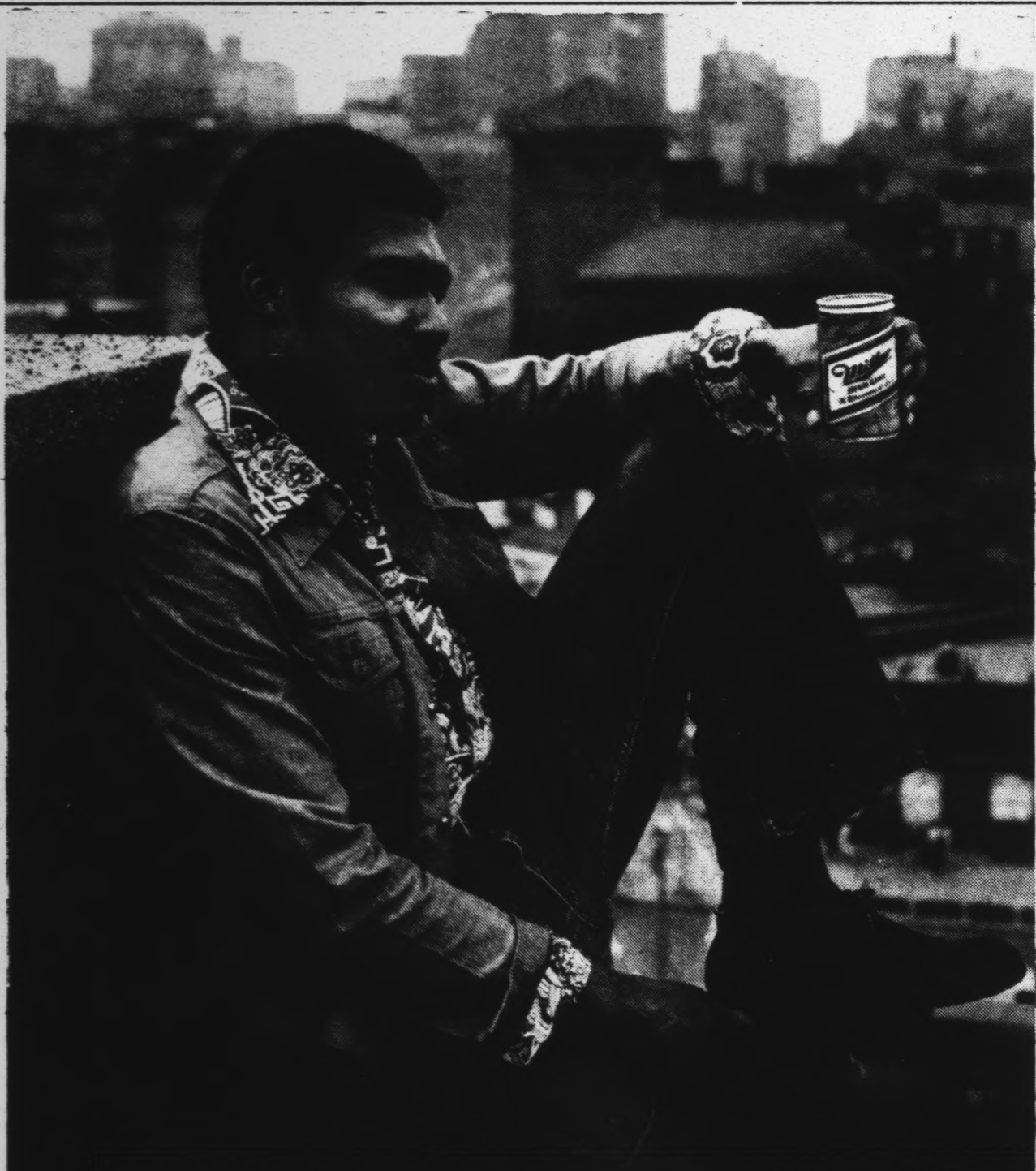
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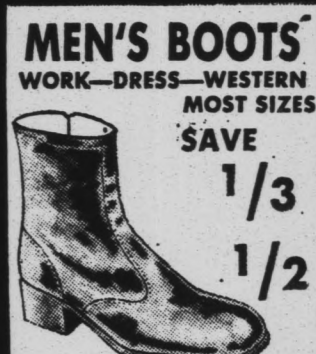
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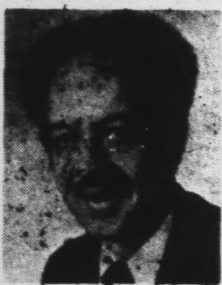






## COMMUNITY AFFAIRS

by  
KENYON C. BURKE



Every once in a while a news item appears that jolts you out of a complacent comfortable state and forces you to look at life just a little differently. The recent pardoning of Clarence (Willie) Norris the last known survivor of the "Scottsboro boys" by the state of Alabama falls into that category.

This act closes the books on the historic case in which nine black youths were convicted in 1931 on charges of raping two white girls on a freight train. As a result of this conviction Mr. Norris, a 64-year-old warehouseman for the city of New York spent 15 years in an Alabama State Prison, and five of those on Death Row. He was paroled in 1946 and immediately left the state and lived as a fugitive.

Alabama State Attorney General William J. Baxley indicated that his support of the pardon of Mr. Norris was based to a great extent on the findings in 1936 of Alabama Judge James E. Horton, who found no evidence to support the allegations of the two white girls, Ruby Bates and Victoria Price, that they had been raped. Miss Bates later recanted and said that she had not been raped.

One just can not help but wonder why this shocking miscarriage of justice took so long to be corrected in the land of the free and the home of the brave? I am reminded of the haunting words of the poet Langston Hughes asking the question "What happens to a dream deferred?" and the old gospel refrain "How long oh Lord, How long?"

The pardon is not only a personal victory for Mr. Norris but one for all opposed to racism, discrimination and all the pain and ugliness they

spawn. Governor George C. Wallace and the State Parole Board granted him a pardon after appeals from the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People (NAACP) both in Alabama and from around the country.

As I read the newspapers and later watched the 11:00 o'clock news reporting this historic event several thoughts emerged. After getting over the destructive and ugly conditions that originally produced this horror story along with experiencing a sense of victory, I was once again reassured by the presence of the NAACP.

There was our oldest, most trusted, respected and feared Civil Rights organization, although almost financially bankrupt, doing its traditional job of fighting racism, bigotry & equality. Perhaps this latest victory will silence those dissent voices that we hear saying that these issues and concerns are no longer relevant or important.

Like it or not there is no other single organization that has made such an impact upon improving the quality of life of black people in this country as the NAACP.

One doesn't have to look too far to see that racism, discrimination and inequality are alive and well in America today. Perhaps Mr. Norris summed it up best for us in a press conference when he said "I would like to talk to a lot of young people -- to tell them that they can't get their freedom by running away from responsibilities." "You've got to make a stand. You've got to fight for your rights." To that we say, amen brothers and sisters.

Amen!! (NNPA)

**Benjamin L. Hooks**  
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### What does Mr. Carter owe blacks

What special claims do blacks have on President-elect Jimmy Carter as the result of their overwhelming support for him in the recent elections? The question is invariably asked by newsmen as I move around the country.

I continue to emphasize this theme in my column not just because it is important to keep before the power brokers the lowly vote that has made all this possible, but because it is important for blacks to know that our exhortation to them to work within the system wasn't empty rhetoric, that the result is now real and potentially rewarding.

What does Mr. Carter owe to black people? Well I believe black people will expect the President-elect to be responsive to them in terms of making quality appointments of qualified blacks, to put them in commissions, agencies, benches in the office management and budget, which has to do with the whole scheme of budgetary allocation and in cabinet and sub-cabinet positions and in the State Department, in foreign service and in ambassadorial posts.

But beyond that, it seems to me that what black people -- what we want Mr. Carter to do is to deal with the problems of this country that affect us as they do other Americans.

For instance, we're not trying to get him to create black jobs, but jobs, we're not trying to get him to create a special welfare system for blacks, but a humane welfare system that will remove much of the confusion and allow people who cannot make it on their own to have a decent, dignified way of life.

We want him to deal with inflation so that it does not eat up artificially what little money we make. I think that the problems of black people in this country, to a large extent, are the problems of the poorer people and just plain people in general.

Of course, the problems of blacks are distinctive. The more than 300 years of chattel slavery and economic and social oppression visited on black people in this country make us a unique and distinct problem that must be dealt with in special ways and with special emphasis to correct historic wrongs.

But again, black people simply want Mr. Carter to be a President of all the people, something other presidents have not always been. Let me give you a historical example.

When Franklin Roosevelt became President in 1932, I was a little boy, but I remember his radio statement.

He said: "one third of America is ill-housed, ill-fed and ill-clothed." Now there was really no necessity for him to say black people are included in that group. We knew and the world knew. For when you begin talking about ill-housed, ill-clothed and ill-fed people, this automatically included a majority of black folk.

And when Roosevelt put his measures to work during the first 100 days of his administration -- the NTA, CC, NYA, and all the other alphabet soup organizations and agencies he dreamed up -- these basically affected black folk even though in none of the enabling legislation was there any special mention of black people.

CCC (the Civilian Conservation Corps) saved a whole generation of poor black and white young men. The NYA (National Youth Administration) enabled my brothers and sisters to complete high school.

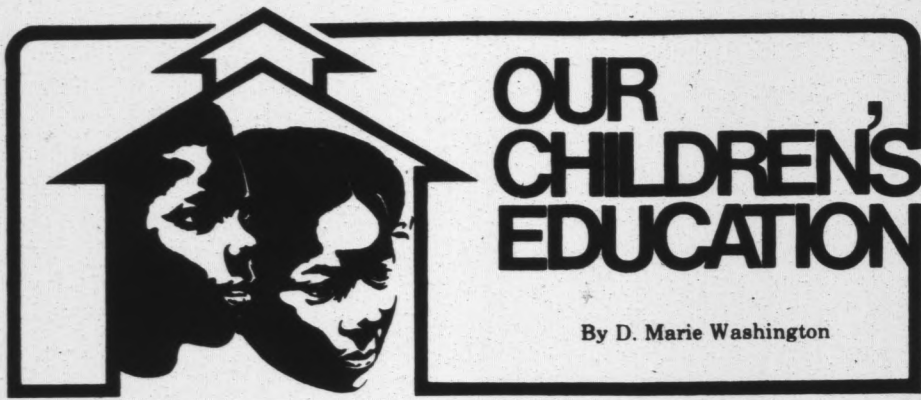
I lived through this period with these wonderful alphabet agencies and what I'm trying to say is that Mr. Roosevelt made a great impact upon the black population, converted a 90 percent loyal Republican voting group of black folks in 1932, to a 93 percent black voting group in 1976 for Mr. Carter.

All this was done on the foundations that Franklin Roosevelt laid. Yet Roosevelt, consummate politician that he was, very seldom made any statements about what he was going to do for "colored people" (as we called ourselves then) because he done so in those days, even with his immense popularity, he may have been defeated.

But the fact remains he helped the poor and in helping poor people, the distressed, the downtrodden, the rejected, the despised, he automatically helped black folks.

Black people expect no less from Mr. Carter and, it is my personal belief, that he will not let them down.

Approximately one of every 12 infants born in the United States suffers from birth defects or is endangered by markedly low birthweight. According to The National Foundation - March of Dimes, more than 250,000 newborns, or one baby every two minutes, is physically or mentally damaged at birth.



By D. Marie Washington

## Discipline and discrimination

One very significant and underlying cause for discipline problems and the dropout rate among black students seems to be consistently overlooked. But until we are willing to see this cause and accurately relate it to its effect, the problem will always be with us.

The large migration of blacks to the North during the 1950s brought about many changes which had an overpowering effect upon the lives of black people, but the effect upon black children of being brought into a white school majority has heretofore been difficult to pinpoint. Researchers, seeking the answers to the problems of inner city education, usually fall into a "tangle of pathology" by focusing upon the child, his family and his environment as the cause of those problems. But in the newly desegregated

schools in the South, no such "tangle" confuses the issue. The children's environment, family patterns, and economic status remain the same, while the only change taking place is the merger of black children into white schools -- which is often followed by a highly escalated rate of black student suspensions.

**THE STUDENT PUSHOUT.** A report published by the Robert F. Kennedy Memorial and the Southern Regional Council, is the result of an investigation of those areas which indicate that suspension and expulsion have been used as weapons of discrimination. Not surprisingly, the districts which have offered the greatest resistance to desegregation have shown the highest rate of black student suspensions. In some districts in the South,

the expulsion rate for minority students has been twice that for non-minority students, and the expulsion rate for blacks students was three times that for non-minority students.

The official reasons most often given for the suspensions were - disrespect for authority, insubordination, or disobedience. But from the students' viewpoint, the reasons given for the suspensions were -- arbitrary nature of the rules, unequal application of the rules and the misuse of authority. Since there was no such high rate of black student conflict with authority in southern schools which previously served black children, it suggests that a hostile school environment can indeed be a major cause of discipline problems. As the report states, minority students -- "North, South or

West -- to easily become the special targets of policies which favor the white students and reject the traditions and culture of others."

There is also much evidence which suggests that many students who are called 'drop-outs' are those who were in effect pushed out by the hostility of the school environment. This hostility can be detected not only in those glaring instances where black-white student clashes resulted in the black student being the only one suspended, but also in more subtle ways ranging from the exclusion of blacks from extra-curricular activities to tracking them into segregated classes. Such practices are all too familiar to those blacks who entered schools in the North during the 1950's which were previously all white.

While there was so much documentation of the suspension rate of black students following the heavy migration of blacks to the North, signs of discrimination could be seen in the North's gerry-mandered school districts and the unequal distribution of school funds; and signs of student alienation could be witnessed by the large number of black 'dropouts' and 'pushouts' and the consequent problems of juvenile delinquency in the inner city.

Thus, in order to get a full picture of in-school discrimination and its effect upon the total society, one has but to look to

### Join Army's Delayed Entry Program

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December 31 is the cut-off date for military veterans' educational benefits through the GI Bill that has been in effect for most of the past 30 years, according to the USA Indianapolis District Recruiting Command.

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The upcoming Christmas holidays should allow time for high school seniors to take a good look at the job and school training available through the Army and to evaluate this in terms of their future career goals and what they want to do for the next three or four years.

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